Today's Weather. Fair and Colder.

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THE WEATHER

Fair and colder today and fair weather for tomorrow is the prediction of the Washington observer for Pittsburgh and vicinity. The maximum temperature yesterday was 42 and the minimum 35 degrees. The sun rose cloudy at 7:41 a. m. and set cloudy at 5:21 p. m. yesterday. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Fair

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m....	29.91	40	64	S.W.	Cloudy
8 p. m....	29.88	39	85	W.	Cloudy

Comparative temperature and precipitation for January 19:

	1905	1904		1905	1904
Maximum ...	42	39	Mean	38	26
Minimum ...	35	2	Precipitation .	T.	0
Nor. tem. 31 years		31	Nor. prec. 31 years		.11
Excess for the day.		7	Ex. since Jan. 1....		.69
Def'cy since Jan. 1		26			

Official Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Fair and colder Friday; Saturday, fair, fresh winds.

West Virginia—Fair Friday; Saturday increasing cloudiness.

Ohio—Fair Friday and Saturday, diminishing west winds.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Cairo	36 Clear	Indianapolis.	36 Clear
St. Louis.	36 Clear	Kansas City.	38 Clear
Cincinnati	36 Clear	Washington.	48 Cloudy
Chicago ...	32 Clear	Philadelphia.	44 Cloudy
Vicksburg	48 Cloudy	New Orleans.	54 Cloudy
Louisville	38 Cloudy	St. Paul.....	26 Clear
Nashville	38 Rain	Helena	34 Cloudy
Memphis ...	38 Cloudy	Huron	24 Clear
Omaha	32 Clear	Duluth	24 Cloudy
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Enter Contest at Once.

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CHINA IS NOT TO BE SLICED

Mr. Hay Gets Recommitment of Neutral Powers to Empire's Integrity.

HIS POLICY UPHELD

England, Germany, France and Italy Have Favorably Replied to Secretary's Note.

GRAVE DANGER IS AVERTED

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Room 16, Postal Building. WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 19.

Secretary Hay has averted a new danger in the far east, which threatened a division of China among the neutral powers, by again cleverly committing them to the neutrality of the Chinese empire. He has thus again made good his sobriquet of "the watchdog of the open door."

The achievement has been brought about by a series of diplomatic exchanges which have been passing between Washington and the chancelleries of Europe for about a week. The administration will probably make announcement on the subject tomorrow. While it will not say Mr. Hay took the center of the stage to prevent the powers from slicing up China, such is, in effect, what he has done. He was moved to action last Friday by persistent reports that the European powers had concluded the only course left to take was to divide the empire. The last assurance of support to Mr. Hay's policy came today from France.

When Mr. Hay began his task last Friday he inquired of the powers if they were still inclined to stand firmly for the preservation of the "administrative" entity of China, to which they agreed during the Boxer outbreak in 1900, and which they agreed was necessary for world peace during the Russo-Japanese war. The replies have been filtering into the state department ever since. To the principle of the integrity of China and the "open door," which means equal rights for all nations and special privileges for none, the following governments are now recommitted:

Interests of the Powers.

England, whose interests are paramount in the Yang-Tse River valley.

Germany, whose interests are paramount in Shan-Tung, where there is a German naval station.

France, whose interests are paramount in southern China.

It cannot be learned that Russia and Japan were addressed by Mr. Hay in regard to this subject. His note is understood to have concerned more particularly the neutral powers. Although not designed to organize any concert among the neutrals for action when the war ends, this renewed declaration will have immense effect among the powers when peace comes.

Secretary Hay's call on the powers again to express their adherence to the policy he initiated has been entirely separate from Russia's protest that China has flagrantly violated neutrality. The exchanges between Washington and the neutral powers has not referred to that.

Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, yesterday sent to Secretary Hay a letter discussing the situation provoked by the violations of Chinese neutrality. This bore on the dangers to be expected therefrom. Simultaneously with Secretary Hay's recommittal of the powers to China's integrity, the government at Pekin will adopt a stronger policy.

China has complained she was not furnished with a copy of Russia's protest, and accordingly she has made only general denials. Sir Chentung Liang Chang, the Chinese minister, has obtained a copy of the Russian note and has cabled it to his government.

Paris Confirms the Work.

PARIS, Jan. 19.—The French government and other powers have received a communication from the American government, which, if approved by the powers, will exert a far-reaching effect in preventing the territorial break-up of China when peace is eventually made between Russia and Japan.

This step is based on information reaching the United States government that some of the powers are apprehensive the eventual consideration of peace between Russia and Japan will lead to claims on portions of Chinese territory. The American communication tends to avert the possibility of such claims being made, thus ensuring a continuance of the present policies of the "open door" and the territorial integrity of the empire.

The French, British and Italian governments have approved the American communication. If other powers approve it will constitute a notable understanding that the powers will not make claims on Chinese territory when peace is ultimately concluded.

CRUSADE OF PRESIDENT IS LAUDED BY MR. BRYAN

Says Mr. Roosevelt's Fight Against Railroads Deserves Hearty Co-Operation of People.

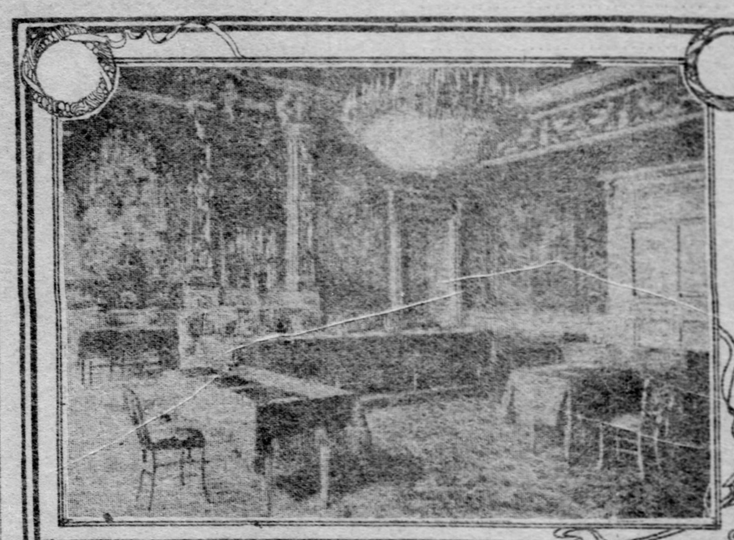
[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

LINCOLN, NEB., Jan. 19.—Commenting on his forthcoming Commoner on President Roosevelt's crusade against railroad freight discrimination, W. J. Bryan lauds the effort, saying:

"In this good work Mr. Roosevelt is entitled to the hearty co-operation of all good citizens and evidently he is receiving great encouragement from the people on this line. We hope he will win, but whether he will or not, we hope he will make the vigorous fight which his friends say he will make, and every good citizen will bid him godspeed in his laudable undertaking.

"Every move the president has made in behalf of the people has won him new favor among those who have suffered for so many years because of the exactions of greedy men."

THE NORTH SEA COMMISSION BEGINS DELIBERATIONS IN PARIS



THE SCENE OF THE DELIBERATIONS.

The rooms at the French foreign ministry devoted to the work of the inquiry form part of the suite used by the king and queen of Italy, and are decorated with many fine tapestries.

Admiral Kaznakoff. (Russia). Admiral Sir Lewis Beaumont. (Great Britain). Admiral Davis. (United States).

CZAR ESCAPES PLOT OR MISHAP

Grape Crashes Through Chapel Windows, He Being Unhurt.

DYNASTY IN PERIL

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 19.—The czar has just escaped death, either through plot or accident.

Today while in a chapel built across the Neva, and while engaged in the annual ceremony of the blessing of the waters of the historic river, a charge of grape, fired by the aristocratic Seventeenth battery of the First Horse artillery, firing an accompanying salute from Basil Island to the guns of the SS. Peter and Paul fortress, crashed through the windows of the palace and those of the aristocratic salons along the river.

The shots just passed over the heads of the emperor, other representatives of the Romanoff dynasty, generals, priests, choristers and standard bearers on the platform. Lower, and the dynasty would have been nearly wiped out. One policeman was wounded and the bullets cut the clothing of others.

The shot came at the conclusion of the solemn ceremony, the metropolitan having just dipped the cross into the river. There was no panic. The metropolitan quickly proceeded to bless the emperor and his entourage and consecrate the standards anew from the sanctified waters of the Neva. The czar and party then returned within the winter palace. At the time the chapel was filled with diplomats, including Ambassador McCormick, secretaries Eddy and Bliss of the American embassy, and representatives of the nobility, while the windows of the palace, the salons in the neighborhood and the quays, bridges, monuments and other points of vantage were crowded with spectators. Those in the chapel heard the crash of the shots and were startled by the falling of a gold plate, which had been shot from the wall, but did not at the time know the cause.

An investigation is proceeding, pending which the officers and men of the battery are under arrest. It is stated in official circles that at gun practice on Tuesday a loaded shell was inadvertently left in the gun.

It is certain that the shot was accurately aimed. If plot, the officials say they have a new danger to the czar's life to watch—the army.

During the reception following the ceremonies, Emperor Nicholas greeted Ambassador McCormick with his accustomed cordiality, and the ambassador conveyed to his majesty President Roosevelt's personal greetings and wishes for a happy new year, which the emperor said he was happy to receive.

PROSPECTS FOR WATERWAY ACROSS STATE OF OHIO

Belief That Last Obstacle Will Be Removed in Building of Muskingum River Dam.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—There is every probability that the long desired building of a dam in the Muskingum river between Zanesville and Dresden, O., will soon become an assured fact. A committee in the interests of the improvement is in the city today and received such substantial encouragement as to give them the belief that an appropriation of $110,000 for the work will be included in the river and harbor bill to be introduced at the present session.

The building of the dam will make the Muskingum river navigable from Dresden to Marietta, and in conjunction with the Ohio canal make a navigable waterway from Cleveland on Lake Erie to the Ohio river. The legislature of Ohio has authorized the improvement of the canal at state expense providing the government will improve the Muskingum river. This removes the last obstacle to the government granting the request.

The committee here today consists of Col. T. F. Spangler of Zanesville, Representative-Elect B. G. Dawes, L. C. Rose, G. W. Smith and former Representative C. W. Shryock of Marietta.

L. W. STRAYER.

ROSSEAU INDICTED BY GRAND JURY

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Gessler Rosseau, charged with sending an infernal machine to the Cunard dock a year ago last May, was indicted today by the grand jury. It is expected he will be extradited from Philadelphia at once and brought to this city for trial.

TO PUT MONEY TO BEST USES

Mr. Plummer Announces His Policy for State Appropriations.

HOUSE ADJOURNED

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU. HARRISBURG, PA., Jan. 19.

"I propose to conduct the affairs of the house appropriation committee looking to the best interests of the commonwealth and the institutions applying for state aid."

This statement was made by Representative Plummer, the new chairman of the house appropriations committee, today in speaking of its policy during the present legislative session. Chairman Plummer will call the committee together next week to arrange to hear the representatives of the various public and private institutions, who may make application for appropriations, as speedily as possible, in order that their bills may be got out of the way before the rush near the close of the session.

He has appointed Frank J. Roth of Harrisburg clerk of the committee, a position he filled at the last session. Mr. Roth is a trained lawyer and is familiar with the needs of many of the institutions which now receive state aid, so that he will be an invaluable assistant to the chairman.

It was the idea of Speaker Walton to hold a brief session of the house tomorrow for the consideration of bills on first reading, but many of the members wanted to get away today. After being in session less than 30 minutes, adjournment was taken until Monday evening.

First Bill on Calendar.

Three bills were reported from committee and will be read the first time when the house reconvenes. The first to get a place on the calendar was one introduced by Mr. Kennedy of Beaver, which provides for the acquisition of toll bridges by counties.

Among the bills presented was one by Mr. Cook of Allegheny, appropriating $100,000 for a granite memorial statue on Lookout Mountain, Tenn. The shaft is to be located at a point where it will overlook all of the ground covered in that famous battle and the adjacent battlefield. It is to be erected by the executive committee of the Chickamauga-Chattanooga battlefield commission. The governor is empowered to appoint men to fill two vacancies on the executive committee caused by the deaths of Gen. William A. Robinson, lieutenant colonel of the Seventy-seventh infantry, and Lieut. Thomas H. Rickert, Seventh cavalry. The other members of the committee are: Col. Archibald Blakeley, Seventy-eighth infantry; Capt. George W. Skinner, Seventy-seventh infantry; Lieut. S. W. McClusky, Knapps' battery; Lieut. Edwin McC. Boring, Seventy-ninth infantry; Sergt. J. H. R. Storey, One Hundred and Ninth infantry.

Bill to Restore Forests.

Gen. Geary, afterward governor of Pennsylvania, was in command of the Pennsylvania troops at Lookout mountain. The Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Eleventh regiment reached the highest point of any troops engaged in the battle. The Twenty-eighth and One Hundred Forty-seventh regiments were also in the battle, but were lower down the mountain. Knapps' battery supported these two regiments.

Mr. Pendleton of Bradford introduced a bill having for its purpose the restoration of the forest lands of Pennsylvania. The bill provides that a rebate of 80 per cent of all taxes, local and county, be allowed to those owning ground containing not less than 50 trees to the acre, no tree to be less than eight inches in diameter at a point six feet above the ground; no part of the ground may be absolutely clear of trees. No one person is to be allowed a rebate on more than 50 acres, nor is the 80 per cent rebate at any time to exceed a rebate of more than 45 cents a single acre.

Among the bills introduced in the house today were the following:

Mr. McWhinney, Allegheny, increasing the office force of the state department of mines.

Mr. McElroy, McKeesport, providing that unused streets that have not been opened for 20 years shall not be opened without the consent of the abutting property owners; also appropriating $87,000 to the Bradford hospital.

Mr. Carson, Beaver, appropriating $12,000 to the Rochester hospital.

Mr. Dunsmore, Tioga, repealing the amendment to the act of 1858, relating to the construction of bridges between adjoining counties.

Be sure a bottle of Piso's Cure is kept on hand for sudden colds. All druggists.

NORTH SEA COURT HEARS CHARGES

Britain Presents Seventeen Specifications to Which Russia Makes Reply.

PUBLIC SESSIONS ARE OPENED

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

PARIS, Jan. 19.—The international commission, appointed to inquire into the North sea incident, began its public sessions this afternoon. The meeting of the commission was held in the state dining hall of the D'Orsay palace (foreign office), which was crowded with high officials, diplomats and representatives of the navies of the principal maratime powers, including several staff officers of the Japanese navy. Several members of the staff of the Japanese legation were among the diplomats present.

Admiral Fournier of France presided, with Rear Admiral Beaumont of Great Britain and Admiral von Spaun of Austria-Hungary at his right and Vice Admiral Doubassoff of Russia and Rear Admiral Davis of the United States on his left. A large force of British counsel and advisers was at the right of the court. Baron Taube, the Russian judicial adviser, and other Russians, were in the left part of the hall.

Hugh O'Beirne of the British embassy, agent of Great Britain before the international commission, read the charges, which consist of 17 specifications, minutely setting forth the attack on the Hull fishing fleet. Baron Taube read the Russian reply.

The principal charges of the British statement follow:

On the night in question there were no warships in the neighborhood of the fishing fleet, except those of the Russian navy.

No warships had been seen by the fishing boats since a long time previous.

None of the boats making up the fishing fleet carried any kind of material of war.

No Japanese warship of any kind was at that moment in the North sea.

There were no Japanese on the fishing boats.

The Russian fire continued after their searchlights clearly showed the vessels were peaceful fishing boats.

None of the Russian ships gave or even offered assistance.

The fire killed two man, wounded six, sank one boat and damaged five others.

The statement concludes that the attack was without any provocation upon pacific fishing boats pursuing their usual and rightful avocation.

The following are the principal points of the Russian reply:

At about midnight the flagship Kniaz Souvaroff saw the outlines of two small boats which approached with great speed with all lights extinguished, directly toward the battleship.

When the two suspicious boats came within range of the Russian searchlights they were recognized as torpedo boats. Thereupon the battleships opened fire.

Thereafter a number of small fishing boats, not showing the required lights, were observed. Precautionary measures were adopted, nevertheless. There was a strong feeling of danger upon the battleships and the imperious duty of protecting themselves against the attack of torpedo boats obliged a continuance of the fire despite the evident risks of hitting not only the fishing boats but also the ships of the squadron itself, which had arrived within the zone of fire.

In the meantime the two torpedo boats drew off and shortly after disappeared. Fearing some of the disabling boats were damaged, yet being certain all danger from the two torpedo boats or possibly others was not completely removed, Admiral Rojestvensky considered it indispensable for the entire squadron to continue its route without stopping.

Admiral Rojestvensky, while taking into account the damage caused to inoffensive fishermen, subjects of a neutral power, was nevertheless, compelled to use all the means in his power to destroy the torpedo boats which attacked his squadron.

COWBOY CONTINGENT FOR THE INAUGURAL PARADE

DEADWOOD, S. D., Jan. 19.—A party of Black Hills cowboys, some 50 strong, is organizing to go to Washington for the inauguration of President Roosevelt March 4. The men will take their own horses and be dressed in cowboy costume. Capt. Seth Bullock, who has just returned from Washington, is organizing the party.

Italy to Abolish Slavery.

ROME, Jan. 19.—The Italian government has issued a decree providing for the abolition of slavery in Italy's East African colonies, which was first denounced years ago by the American consul at Cairo.

SITUATION HAS GROWN ACUTE

Trainmen Summon Grand Master to Conference With Manager Atterbury.

TWO QUESTIONS AT ISSUE

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 19.—The situation in the controversy between the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen is most acute. P. H. Morrissey, grand master of the brotherhood, who was called to this city by Vice Grand Master Lee in a final effort to procure, if possible, an amicable settlement of the differences, arrived here shortly before 2 o'clock tonight and was in conference with the board of adjustment until after midnight.

Early today Mr. Lee sent word to General Manager Atterbury that Mr. Morrissey was coming, and asked for another conference this afternoon. Mr. Atterbury agreed to meet the representatives of the trainmen, but the grand master missed connections at Pittsburgh and his arrival was delayed until tonight, so the conference was postponed until tomorrow morning.

Mr. Morrissey was met by R. T. Cohen, chairman of the board of adjustment, and was conducted to a hotel where the full board was in waiting to receive him. Mr. Lee explained what had transpired at previous meetings of the board of adjustment with Mr. Atterbury and told the grand master the Pennsylvania Railroad Company declined to recede from its position as stated in the last proposition made to the trainmen by Mr. Atterbury.

It requires a vote of the board of adjustment and the signature of the grand master of the brotherhood or his accredited representative, to call out the men. This vote, so far as could be learned, was not taken tonight, and will probably be held in abeyance until the conference with Mr. Atterbury tomorrow.

At 1:25 a. m. the conference came to an end. All refused to say what had taken place. In order to avoid embarrassing questions from newspaper men, the participants in the conference went away singly and by different exits. When pressed to speak, Morrissey and Lee refused to utter a word.

General Manager Atterbury stated late tonight the situation was unchanged and that there would be no developments until tomorrow.

Mr. Lee said earlier in the evening so far as he could see nothing remained but to notify the men an adjustment could not be made. He added that Mr. Morrissey's final move might bring about the desired result, but when pressed for a statement as to the nature of this move, said he would rather not be quoted.

Tonight Mr. Lee said:

We stand where we stood after our conference with Mr. Atterbury Wednesday. Nothing has developed to minimize the prospect of a strike.

Mr. Atterbury has misstated the case in declaring the question of the reduction of brakemen is not an issue in the controversy. He is wrong when he unqualifiedly says that so far as the reduction in the number of workmen is concerned the committee without dissent readily asserted the company had undisputed right to determine the number of men that should constitute a crew, and which left the question of assistants to the firemen by the brakemen the only one now unsettled.

It is true that we waived the question of reduction of forces, but we did so only pending the settlement of the other point—compulsory helps. The failure to adjust this latter question naturally leaves both points unsettled and both must be taken care of or there will be no settlement.

Mr. Lee also takes exception to the statement by Mr. Atterbury that the propositions be made to the trainmen's committee January 7 were not submitted to the men when they voted on the strike. Mr. Lee said the propositions were verbally conveyed to every man who voted, and every voter thoroughly understood Mr. Atterbury's propositions when he cast his ballot.

"We did not have the propositions embodied in the printed ballot which had already been issued. When Mr. Atterbury's concessions were offered he would not pay the expense involved in changing the circular, and we did not go to the expense because the propositions promised

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SEEKING TRADE IN ALL LANDS

President Recommends Commercial Agents for Foreign Countries.

MESSAGE TO SENATE

Mr. Roosevelt Asks That Provision Be Made for Six Special Representatives.

WANTS MEN OF EXPERIENCE

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—The president today sent a message to the senate recommending favorable action on a suggestion made by Assistant Secretary Loomis for co-operation by the departments of state and commerce and labor in collecting information concerning trade conditions in foreign countries. The president recommends that provision be made for the appointment of six special agents to be called commercial attaches, who shall visit the different countries and make a study of industrial conditions, with a view to suggesting modifications and changes in the existing plans of our foreign commerce.

The text of the president's message is as follows:

I transmit herewith a communication from the acting secretary of state, accompanied by reports from the diplomatic and consular officers, upon the feasibility of secure co-operation between the two branches of our foreign service for the better promotion of American industry and trade. Having his conclusions upon the views expressed in these reports, the acting secretary recommends that provision be made for six special agents, with the diplomatic rank and title of commercial attaches, to be sent abroad to make practical trial of the proposed plans; to report to the department of state conditions existing in different countries which might suggest modifications or changes in the general scheme; to prepare for the department of commerce and labor reports upon commerce and manufactures or upon kindred topics of a more exhaustive and comprehensive character than is ordinarily obtainable at present; and to visit consulates, examine their workings and suggest such changes, either to the consular officers, or to the department of state, as would tend to the general improvement and strengthening of the service.

Should Be Men of Affairs.

It is proposed that these agents shall be chosen primarily for their expert knowledge, but shall be not merely specialists, except for particular investigations that might from time to time be required, but practical men of affairs with the experience best suited to fit them for their executive duties. It is suggested that the consular service might supply the best type of agents desired, and that, for this reason, and also because of the reserve to merit which would thus be provided, appointments should be made preferably from among those consular officers who have demonstrated their special fitness and capacity.

It will, in my opinion, be found upon examination that, while the increase proposed is a modest and more or less tentative one, involving comparatively slight expense, it promises important and far-reaching results in the judicious strengthening of our whole foreign service in the interest of trade and the gradual development of capacities in it, but imperfectly available, as yet, to make it fully adequate to the demands of our productive energy as a nation. Agriculture in the United States has long been dependent for its prosperity upon the demand from abroad for its surplus products, and of late years our manufacturing industries have found that they were outstripping the capacity of even our enormous market and are now looking more and more to foreign consumption for relief from overstocking crises. According to an estimate of the department of commerce and labor our exports of manufactures in the calendar year 1904 will not only exceed the highest figures of any earlier year, but may probably pass the $500,000,000 line, as against $384,000,000 in the high record year, the fiscal year 1900; $331,000,000 in 1901, $329,000,000 in 1902, $339,000,000 in 1903, and $392,000,000 in 1904.

Developed Commercial Unity.

The magnitude and steady growth of the export movement from our workshops and factories are such as to augment the greater importance of providing it with all the official assistance necessary to its full and free development.

It is generally admitted that in recent years the consular service, whatever may be the defects of system, has developed a commercial utility which has been of great practical value. It would be most regrettable, however, if the improvement which has been brought about by the zeal and energy of individual consuls rather than by the efforts of the service as a whole and, to a large extent, by the special attention of the department of state, should be accepted as fully satisfying to-day present requirements and to speak of the prospective demands of a rapidly expanding commerce.

For this reason I cordially commend to the consideration of the congress the recommendations of the acting secretary of state looking to the gradual systematizing and equipment of the whole foreign service, by simple and inexpensive means, as an auxiliary, responsive at all points to what may reasonably be expected of it by the great industrial and commercial interests which are so deeply concerned in enlarging their share of the world's trade.

In view of the interest and importance of the subject to the public, and especially to the business community, I also suggest that authority be given for the printing of a special edition of 5,000 copies of the acting secretary's letter, together with the appended reports from diplomatic and consular officers, of which 2,000 copies shall be for distribution by the department of state.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

White House, Washington, January 18, 1905.

Loomis Details His Plan.

The details of the proposed plan are set out in a long letter from Acting Secretary Loomis, who points to the high pitch of efficiency to which the consular service has been raised in its functions of supplying our manufacturers and merchants information as to trade conditions in other countries which tend to advance or hinder the sale of our surplus products. To carry forward this great work, he says, it is now proposed to utilize the superior resources of the United States diplomatic service in the collection and the dissemination of this class of information.

Mr. Loomis says that the apprehension that the proposed action may be resented by foreign nations as marking an aggressive American campaign for trade, and consequently intensifying the hostility already excited by our so-called "commercial invasion" of Europe, would scarcely be entitled to much weight in view of the fact that the more advanced industrial countries for some time have been openly equipping themselves for precisely such an effort. As an initial step toward extension Mr. Loomis suggests the

creation of a staff of capable experts acting for the department of state and through it for the department of commerce and labor in personal contact and associated with the diplomatic and consular officers in the more important trade regions.

Opportunities to Get Information.

These employes, he says, could be made attaches to embassies or legations, which would afford special opportunities to secure information. Their duties being declaredly commercial they would not compromise their embassies or legations in exercising their functions. As there are a number of consuls now in the service who may be classed commercial experts, it is proposed to select the staff of new officers from their number, and it is believed that capable consular officers, thus rewarded with the post of commercial attache, would be living examples and objects of emulation for every aspiring man in the service. They also would serve as a thoroughly trained corps of consular inspectors, the lack of which has been very much felt.

Mr. Loomis feels that this plan can be put into execution at a very small cost, in fact, he places the cost of the test at $50,000 per annum. Six commercial attaches or special agents will be sufficient to initiate the movement. They would be salaried at $5,000 per annum and traveling expenses, and would be assigned one to cover Austria, the Balkan states, Germany, Switzerland, Russia and other foreign countries of Northern Europe; one for France, Italy, Portugal, Spain, and other countries bordering on the Mediterranean sea; a third for Great Britain and dependencies; the fourth for Mexico, Central America, the West Indies and South America; the fifth for Asia and more particularly Asiatic Russia, China and Japan, and the sixth to be held in reserve for special service to any part of the world. It is not proposed that these attaches should have a fixed residence at any particular capital, but that they may be transferred from point to point.

SITUATION GROWN ACUTE

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very little to the men and we knew they would not influence the voting."

The 85 local unions in the brotherhood east of Pittsburgh and Erie have been supplied with cipher codes so in case a strike is decided on the order to suspend work can be carried into effect at once.

An official of the Pennsylvania railroad said tonight the company has evidence Vice Grand Master Lee unreservedly waived the question of the reduction of the number of brakemen, which, it is held, narrows the dispute to the question of compulsory firing. This evidence is said to be a statement by Mr. Lee that it is the company's right to operate their trains with whatever number of men they see fit; that the brotherhood does not care anything about that point, and does not presume to dictate how many men shall constitute a crew.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 19.—W. B. McCaleb, superintendent of the Philadelphia division of the Pennsylvania railroad, this afternoon issued the following statement:

The statement in the morning papers that most of the freight trains on the Pennsylvania railroad, particularly on the Philadelphia division, are being run with only one brakeman is incorrect. The only trains which are being run with one brakeman are the fast freights and short freight trains, and on these trains the firemen neither require nor ask for any assistance, as they haul but few cars and make the run over the division in a short time. As a matter of fact, the brakemen on the Philadelphia division are not required to give the firemen any more assistance than they have been giving them for a number of years past.

There is no difficulty today on the Philadelphia division between the officials and the employes, and they have each other's mutual regard, which we are anxious to continue. Among such large bodies of men there are, of course, a number who are unreasonable and do not appreciate fair treatment, and if these see fit to strike themselves out of their jobs, the service will be improved, but I do not expect that our men, a majority of whom are level-headed, will be led into such a rash act. We are constantly flooded with applications for positions in the train service, particularly in the passenger service, and would have no difficulty in getting all the men we would need in the event of any trouble.

ALTOONA, Jan. 19.—Lodge No. 174, Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, held a meeting here tonight, but refused to divulge what action was taken before tomorrow morning. The executive committee sat until a late hour.

Local leaders of the organization seem to be opposed to a strike and regard the vote already taken more as an expression of confidence in their organization than as a decision in favor of striking. The lodge at Derry met tonight, and adjourned to meet tomorrow.

BETRAYED THE JAPANESE.

Foreign Resident of Mikado's Empire Is Tried for Selling Military Secrets to Russia.

YOKOHAMA, Jan. 19.—H. B. Collins, a man of Portuguese blood, who has long been a resident of Japan, was publicly tried today on the charge of disclosing military secrets. The evidence shows Collins visited Port Arthur and Tientsin last year and received 1,000 yen from Gens. Ogorodinkoff and Dessino, together with a private cipher that he might transmit information.

Last October Collins wrote from Yokohama detailing the proposed dispatch of Japanese troops, giving their number, their destination and their purposes, to Gen. Dessino, but the latter was stopped at Nagasaki. The maximum for the offense is six years' imprisonment. The passing of sentence was deferred until January 24.

Artist Boughton Found Dead.

LONDON, Jan. 19.—G. H. Boughton, the artist, was found dead in his studio today. He had been under treatment for heart disease. Mr. Boughton's boyhood was spent in Albany, N. Y., but he had resided in London since 1862.

Two Oil Men Killed.

MARIETTA, O., Jan. 19.—As the result of a boiler explosion in the Sycamore oil field near here today John Hopkins and Sherman Baker, two well known oil men, were killed. Both men were married and leave families.

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of constipation and all stomach troubles if you will try DR. THOMAS' UNCOOKED WHEAT BREAD. It is palatable and nourishing and not expensive. E. S. Dunning, special agent, Bissell block, Seventh avenue and Smithfield street.

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RATE LEGISLATION GETS A SETBACK

Hepburn Measure Delayed and Railroads Gain Ground and Time.

POWERFUL LOBBY AT CAPITOL

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
Room 19, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 19.

Railroad legislation pauses for a time in the house, where the way has been made clear for a bill. Col. Hepburn, chairman of the interstate commerce committee, announced today that his measure was not yet ready, and would not be introduced before Saturday. It was to have been put in today. The real reason is that it is not satisfactory to the administration in that it does not go far enough to correct what the president thinks the real evils of the situation.

Meantime the railroads are gaining ground and time. Their representatives, and many of them important men, are at work, both in the senate and house. At no time in recent years has railroad influence in Washington been so strong in numbers and importance. At no time has it been so conspicuous and open in its fight. It is now the president and the house on one side and the railroads and the senate on the other.

About the only possibility in sight for the present session is an entering wedge for moral effect of the passage of a bill by the house. It may be that the bill against private car lines already pending in the house interstate commerce committee and introduced in the senate by Senator Elkins yesterday, will pass both branches. If it does the railroad people and senators will assert that after all this congress has done something in the way of legislation desired by the president, and and there is no necessity for an extra session.

There is a united movement among the great railroad men of the country to combat the president in his contention for increased powers for the interstate commerce commission. Within the last week all of the great railroad interests in America have been represented in Washington by important men. James J. Hill has been here. President Cassatt of the Pennsylvania, J. W. Blythe and Samuel Spencer, president of the Southern railway, who in his argument in committee said he spoke for 75 per cent of all of the railroads of the country, have been here. President Tuttle of the Boston & Maine railroad has applied to be heard by the senate committee, and a time has been set. Mr. Tuttle is the most important factor in railroad affairs in New England, except President Mellon of the New York, New Haven & Hartford. Besides these men there is a score or more of lesser lights, attorneys, agents, traffic managers and professional lobbyists.

It also developed today that the railroad presidents are stimulating the small holders of railroad stocks and bonds to begin an agitation against the president's recommendation, "for the purpose of protecting their interests." In fact, an organization with this object in view has already been formed, with branches in various parts of the country. But President Roosevelt has only just started in the fight, and he proposes to see it through. He receives scores of telegrams, letters and newspaper clippings supporting his position every day and believes that a large majority of the people of the country support him.

WOMAN MEETS DEATH UNDER THE WHEELS OF A TRAIN

Had Assisted a Child Across the Tracks and Was Run Down While Returning.

Sarah Black, aged 26, of 544 Gross street, a dressmaker, was killed by a train yesterday afternoon on the Pennsylvania railroad at the Ben Venue crossing, East End. The woman had assisted Minnie Volk, a small girl, across the tracks and was returning when run down. She was identified by her sister, Mrs. Robert Stewart.

Leo Muehrauner, aged 4, of 3036 Viola street, Allegheny, died at home yesterday from Burns received Wednesday. The boy was playing with some matches and his clothing caught fire. His mother and Mrs. H. K. Veler, a neighbor, heard him screaming and threw a blanket about him, extinguishing his burning clothing. Andrew Sufrink, aged 28, died at Mercy hospital yesterday from injuries received in the Homestead steel works several days ago. His leg was fractured and blood poisoning resulted.

Michael Grundy, aged 40, employed at Jones & Laughlins mills, died at Mercy hospital yesterday from injuries received by a pile of lumber falling on him.

Edward Reegan, aged 55, of Monessen, died at the McKeesport hospital yesterday morning from injuries received Tuesday.

Etna Republican Ticket.

Etna Republicans last night named the following ticket: Council, three to nominate, G. N. Pfaub, J. H. Shaffer, David Jones, August Kammer, August Alperman, M. Metzgar, Henry Raum, Henry Shaffer, Sr., Jacob Dietrick and E. P. Seitz; school director, three to nominate, G. A. Speer, G. H. Calvert, W. H. Miller, J. C. Armstrong, George Byerley; auditor, two to nominate, A. D. Jones, Fred Brinker and Charles Yahras; constable, W. C. Armstrong; high constable, John Sibert. Moses Thompson and John Brinker.

Shallenberger Goes to Europe.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19. Second Assistant Postmaster General Shallenberger and Assistant Superintendent John M. Masten of the railway mail service will sail from New York next Saturday for England and France to inquire into the general subject of the foreign mail service.

Miners Go on Strike.

SLIPPERY ROCK, Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Nearly 300 miners went out on strike this morning at mines Nos. 2 and 5 of the Sharon Coal and Limestone Company because, it is said, they have not received the union rate of 31 cents a ton for loading coal after the machines.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, Jan. 19.

New York—Konig Albert, Genoa and Naples; Nord American, Genoa; Manitou, London.
Dover—Pretoria, New York.
Liverpool—Pretoria, St. John, N. B., and Halifax via Moville.
Glasgow—Numidian, New York.
Havre—La Touraine, New York.
San Juan—Prinzessin Victoria Luise, New York (on West Indian cruise).
Genoa—Perugia, New York; Canopic, Boston.
Hongkong—Empress of India, Vancouver via Yokohama.
London—Lancastrian, Boston.

Sailed, Jan. 19.

New York—Blucher, Hamburg via Plymouth and Cherbourg; La Gascogne, Havre; Pomeranian, Glasgow.
Queenstown—Ivernia from Liverpool, Boston.
Liverpool—Cornishman, Portland; Tonian, Halifax.
Leghorn—Italia, New York.
Queenstown—Baltic from Liverpool, New York.
London—Minneapolis, New York.
Antwerp—Kingstonian, Boston.

Passed Jan. 19.

Scilly—Mesaba, New York for London.
Lizard—La Tourraine, New York for Havre.
St. Michaels—Liguria, Genoa and Napies for New York.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—Lionel Barrymore in "The Other Girl," 8:15 p. m.
ALVIN—Amelia Bingham, supported by the Harry Davis stock company, in "The Climbers," 2 and 8 p. m.
GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Continuous vaudeville bill, headed by Della Fox, 1:30 to 10:45 p. m.
DUQUESNE—Keller, 8 p. m.
EMPIRE—"My Wife's Family," 8:15 p. m.
GAIETY—"The Volunteer Organist," 8 p. m.
BIJOU—"The Woman Who Did," 8 p. m.
WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—Minor's American Burlesquers, 2 and 8 p. m.
DUQUESNE GARDEN—Skating afternoon and evening. Music tonight.
PITTSBURGH CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—Pittsburgh orchestra, Emil Paur, conductor, assisted by Fritz Kreisler, solo violinist, and Wenzel Jishra, double bass soloist, 8:15

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Second Prize	300.00	20 Prizes, $ 5.00 each	150.00
Third Prize	200.00	75 Prizes, $ 2.00 each	150.00
Fourth Prize	100.00	100 Prizes, $ 1.00 each	100.00
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4 Prizes, $25.00 each	100.00	235 Prizes, aggregating	$1,800.00

READ CAREFULLY THE CONDITIONS OF THE CONTEST.

The conditions governing the contest follow: No answer which does not exactly conform to them will be considered.

All answers must be upon GAZETTE blanks, which will be printed with each Proverb Picture. Only one answer will be allowed on each blank.

ANSWERS MUST NOT BE SENT IN UNTIL THE CLOSE OF THE CONTEST. But all answers must be in The Gazette office within two weeks after the last Proverb Picture is printed.

The blank forms will be numbered and answers must be neatly arranged in numerical order by the contestants. At the close of the contest answers should be sent by mail postpaid, addressed to Manager Proverb Contest, THE GAZETTE, PITTSBURGH, PA., or they may be left in sealed envelopes at our Business Office, Wood Street and Oliver Avenue, addressed as above.

Do not send the pictures. SEND ONLY THE ANSWER BLANK. The blanks may be filled out in any legible way.

Contestants may send in as many sets of answers as they please, but each set must be in a different envelope. Each set will be treated separately, BUT NO CONTESTANT WILL BE AWARDED MORE THAN ONE PRIZE. Contestants may send in duplicate answers to the same Proverb Picture, but they must be on separate blanks, that is, they may fill out two or more No. 1s or 2s, etc. These duplicates must be kept together in making up the sets of answers.

Reasonable neatness will be taken into consideration in awarding the prizes.

Contestants may secure assistance from any source. Everybody is eligible except employes of The Pittsburgh Gazette.

The manager of the Proverb Contest distinctly reserves the right to make any change in or addition to these conditions that he may deem necessary for properly conducting the contest.

The proverbs selected for this contest are those in common use and will not be hard to solve, but be careful to get the correct wording and punctuation, and see that each word is spelled correctly. You will find this contest an education for old and young. Enter it at once.

DUKE IS DISCHARGED FROM HIS SANITARIUM

His Wife Appears Suddenly Before Him and He Greets Her With Display of Affection.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—After 10 days spent in sanitariums under the charge of being incompetent, Brodie L. Duke was released today in Judge Gaynor's court, Brooklyn. Judge Gaynor said there could not be the slightest doubt as to Mr. Duke's sanity.

An hour later Mrs. Alice Webb-Duke appeared suddenly at the office of Hill, Sturke & Andrews, counsel for Mr. Bramham, private secretary to Mr. Duke. She ran across the room and thrust out her hands to her husband, who readily grasped them.

"Hello," he said.

"They would not let me see you," she said. "They say you have repudiated me. Tell me now if this is so."

Before Mr. Duke had time to answer, Mr. Andrews, who had been summoned by Mr. Bramham, shouted: "Put that woman out of the room."

"She may stay if she likes," retorted Mr. Duke.

The woman and Mr. Duke exchanged whispered sentences, and the wife withdrew, sending back a mocking laugh as she closed the door.

ROUNDED UP SMALL BOYS.

New York Policemen Took Them from Stock Brokers Who Are Violating the Truant Laws.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—(Special.)—A round-up of 25 boys under 16 years of age, working in the Wall street district, was made today by Truant Officer Springmeyer and a dozen policemen.

"The law requires that no child under 16 shall work unless he show a certificate from a school principal or the board of education that he has attended school a certain number of days during the current year," said Springmeyer. "The greatest offenders against this law are stock brokers. We are going to break up this practice."

W. G. ROCKEFELLER OUT.

Young Man Quits Amalgamated Copper Because of Thomas W. Lawson's Attacks.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—(Special.)—William G. Rockefeller, son of William Rockefeller, the Standard Oil magnate, this afternoon severed all connection with the Amalgamated Copper Company. Young Rockefeller was secretary and treasurer of the company and also a director. It is said he got out because of the attacks on Amalgamated made by Thomas W. Lawson.

The directors elected Assistant Treasurer F. P. Addicks, brother of Addicks of Delaware a vice president, and A. H. Melin secretary and treasurer, in place of Mr. Rockefeller.

JAPANESE CONDEMN A BRITISH VESSEL

TOKYO, Jan. 20.—The British steamer Rosely, which was captured by the Japanese cruiser Tokiawa in the Sea of Japan January 11, when bound for Vladivostok with a cargo of coal, has been condemned by the prize court at Sasebo.

Stoessel Is at Shanghai.

SHANGHAI, Jan. 19.—The French steamer Australian arrived here today from Nagasaki with Gen. and Mme. Stoessel, Gens. Gorbatowsky and Reiss, Admirals Gregorievitch and Lochinsky and 500 other Russians from Port Arthur.

SENATOR KNOX ACTIVE IN BEHALF OF RIVERS

Will Look After Pittsburgh's Interests When Bill Goes to Upper Branch.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—Senators Penrose and Knox have decided not to appear before the river and harbor committee of the house again, but to wait until the bill reaches the senate before putting forth any effort in behalf of the Pennsylvania or Pittsburgh projects. Senator Knox is taking an active interest in the river and harbor legislation and will give the projects in the Pittsburgh district his earnest support.

Senators Knox and Penrose today were the recipients of elaborate floral offerings from admiring constituents, including immense collections of American beauty roses from the Pennsylvania legislature.

Judge Hancock of Franklin and Col. George W. Guthrie of Pittsburgh today called on the president to invite him to attend the annual meeting of the Sons of the American Revolution to be held June 1 at Philadelphia. The president regretfully asked to be excused as previous engagements preclude his attendance.

Representative Bates of Meadville today recommended Otis S. Rice for the postmastership of Riceville, Crawford county.

Representative Porter of Pittsburgh today presented to the house the petitions of the Epworth league of Christ Methodist Episcopal church, Pittsburgh, protesting against the repeal of the anti-canteen law.

E. W. STRAYER.

NIEDRINGHAUS LOSING.

Is Now Tied With Cockrell in Deadlock Over the Missouri Senatorial Situation.

JEFFERSON CITY, MO., Jan. 19.—The deadlock over the election of a successor to United States Senator Francis M. Cockrell continues. The second joint session was held today, and after casting one ballot without definite result, adjourned until tomorrow noon. The ballot resulted: Thomas K. Niedringhaus, nominee of the Republican caucus, 81; F. M. Cockrell, 81; R. C. Kerens, 6; A. C. Pettijohn, 3; showing a loss since yesterday of four votes from Niedringhaus, two votes from Cockrell, one vote from Kerens, and a gain of two votes for Pettijohn, due mostly to pairing and absences.

Eight members of the legislature who bolted Niedringhaus tonight in a signed statement say they did so because Niedringhaus secured the nomination for senator by asserting he worked hard to carry Missouri for the Republican party and gave $21,000 towards the campaign expenses, whereas, he in fact gave only about $1,400, while most of the money was given by Adolphus Busch and Otto Stifel of St. Louis.

Russia Buys New Steamers.

COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, Jan. 19.—The new steamers Prins Valdemar and Siam have been purchased by Russia from the East Asiatic Company.

Seven Killed by Cave-In.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., Jan. 19.—Seven white men were buried alive by a cave-in today in a deep railroad cut north of Antoine.

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Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

RUSSIA IS DENOUNCED BY AMERICAN HEBREWS

Look to President and Secretary Hay to Obtain Recognition for Passports of Jews.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—The Union of American Hebrew congregations today chose Atlanta for the next biennial convention and adopted the report of the board of delegates presented by Chairman David Phillipson of Cincinnati. It read in part:

"Among the momentous matters which have demanded the attention of the board of delegates since the council met at St. Louis two years ago are the Kishineff and Homel massacres, and the continued refusal of the Russian government to honor the passports of American Jews. The passport of our country is the credential of American citizenship, and we regard the refusal of Russia to honor this passport an affront to the United States. We do not doubt, however, that the firm stand taken by President Roosevelt and Secretary Hay will eventually remove these discriminations against American citizens of Jewish faith."

KAISER'S ATTEMPT TO END STRIKE PLEASES

Sentiment for Men Owing to the Refusal of Mine Owners to Negotiate.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

BERLIN, Jan. 20.—Emperor William's active interest in the coal strike and his personal exertions to settle it have produced a good effect on the bourse.

The Vorwaerts this morning estimated the number of strikers at 240,000. Sentiment appears to be drifting in favor of the strikers, the refusal of the Mine Owners' association to negotiate with the operatives being regarded as an affront to the government.

Cardinal Fisher of Cologne has sent $250 and the Vorwaerts $6,125.

Among the petty requirements of some of the mines is a rule that the miners must click their heels together and stand at attention when overseers appear.

TWO KILLED; OTHERS HURT.

Coasting Party Carried Under Locomotive at Tyrone—One More Likely to Die.

ALTOONA, Jan. 19.—Willard Elder, aged 12; George Leiper, aged 10, and George Thomas, aged 12, while coasting in Tyrone this evening were carried under a moving shifting locomotive at Twelfth street crossing. Elder's feet were cut off and skull crushed; Leiper's right arm and left foot was cut off, right ankle crushed and left arm broken. Thomas' right arm was cut off, left foot crushed and skull fractured. Elder and Thomas are dead and Leiper cannot recover.

Three other boys who were on the sled did not get under the wheels and were less seriously injured.

POLICE TAKE 13 MEN AND COSTLY OUTFIT FROM CLUB

Police raide dthe Central club, Center avenue and Arthur street, early this morning and arrested the proprietor and 12 visitors. The club is said to be the swellest and most expensively equipped gambling house in Pittsburgh. All the prisoners were playing when the police entered the place. The proprietor gave his name as "Doc" Hall, and when taken to Central station he produced $1,000 from his pocket and was released for a hearing. Roulette wheels, faro layouts, crap boards, poker tables and an expensive faro bank, with a lot of chips and cards, were secured by the police. Their value is said to be about $2,000. The proprietor of the place is alleged to be a prominent Pittsburgh broker.

FRICK MADE MILLIONS IN READING SHARES

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—(Special.)—In the big advance in Reading shares in the last few weeks heavy winnings are reported in Wall street. Henry C. Frick of Pittsburgh, who studied Reading's earning power and had his experts make an exhaustive research of the property, is said to have profits of several millions.

Will Become Independent.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 19.—Next season it is reported M. A. Hanna & Co. and Pickands, Mather & Co., two of the best-known firms connected with the lake coal trade, will be independent of the Pittsburgh Coal Company. The withdrawal of the two firms comes at the end of a five years' contract among the three parties named.

King to Entertain Choate.

LONDON, Jan. 19.—Ambassador and Mrs. Choate will be entertained at Windsor castle as the guests of the king and queen for two days next week. The king returns to London tomorrow from Sandringham.

Sensational Trial Commences Today.

ZANESVILLE, O., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—The trial of the sensational slander suit in which the Rev. Frank W. Bope, rector of St. James, Episcopal church, sues Walter A. Gibbs, general manager of the Zanesville Street Railway, Light and Power Company, for $20,000, owing to certain charges made, begins today.

Serenader Is Killed.

MARIETTA, O., Jan. 19.—While a party of young men were serenading a newly-married pair last night, John Moorfield of Gracey, Washington county, was shot through the heart and killed. Boys in the crowd were firing revolvers.

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TWO DRAWN TO DEATH UNDER RUNAWAY TRAIN

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[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Jan. 19.—Engineer James Keeney and Fireman William Jones were killed and a young man named Lewis Logan had both legs broken and was probably fatally injured in an accident on the Powelton & Pocahontas railroad today.

The brakes on a coal train became ineffective and the locomotive, cars and caboose ran away down a heavy grade. The engineer and fireman jumped, but were drawn underneath the wheels by suction. Logan and his father, seeing the train coming, jumped from a car they were unloading, but the train wrecked the car and pieces struck the young man. Mrs. Silas Virmert was in the caboose, which was thrown against an embankment and wrecked. Although pieces of wood penetrated her clothing, she was unhurt. The train finally jumped the track and was wrecked.

MAN ALLOWED TO VOTE UNDER NAME OF A DOG

So Witness Declared in Peabody Contest. Denver's Chief of Police Is Accused of Crookedness.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

DENVER, Jan. 19.—Examination of witnesses in the Peabody and Adams contest was continued this afternoon. Two witnesses swore that they voted many times under different names. One of them, who admitted he had served three years in the penitentiary for burglary, said the repeaters were instructed by Chief of Police Michael Delaney to vote as often as they could.

W. R. Raymond cited one case in which a man who gave the name of a dog was permitted to vote.

Chairman Griffith directed that the ballot boxes in nine Denver precincts be opened at once, and Judge appointed a watcher for each.

HOWARD GOULD IN CITY.

New Yorker Is Spending a Couple of Days Here and Seeing the Local Sights.

Howard Gould of the New York family controlling the Wabash and other railroads, came to Pittsburgh yesterday and looked the city over. He was accompanied by J. H. Kimble, also of New York, who assisted him in seeing the sights.

Mr. Gould arrived on the Pennsylvania. Inspected the downtown section with approval, paid a visit to the Pittsburgh offices of the Wabash, and then returned to the Schenley. They spent the evening at a theater.

Mr. Gould said last evening that this was his first visit to Pittsburgh and that he was favorably impressed with what he had seen. He expects to remain here through today.

WESTINGHOUSE MEN URGED TO STRIKE

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 20.—4:30 a. m.—The strike situation is causing much uneasiness. There are indications of its spreading toward a general sympathetic strike. Determined efforts are being made to call out all of the factory workers in St. Petersburg, numbering several hundred thousand, including the employes of the Russian Westinghouse Company.

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PANHANDLE STOPPED BY AN INJUNCTION

Wabash Restrains the Plan to Remove the Freight Switch Near Bridgeville.

An effort of the Panhandle to remove the switch near Bridgeville connecting it with the Wabash was nipped in the bud by an injunction obtained by the Wabash yesterday.

This Bridgeville switch has been used by the Wabash to receive freight from the Panhandle and to deliver freight for points on the Pennsylvania's system.

Word reached the Wabash yesterday morning that the Panhandle was about to remove the switch. Wabash counsel immediately filed in common pleas court No. 2 a bill asking for a preliminary injunction. This was granted and the court fixed tomorrow for a hearing and required a bond of $1,000 to be filed.

The Wabash, it is stated, paid for this switch, the Pennsylvania having installed it and then sent a bill.

The Wabash met another difficulty yesterday on the South Side. Work was started there this week on the foundations for the elevated structure which is to carry the freight line up Carson street. The railroad was notified by the superintendent of the city bureau of surveys that it is the city's intention to widen Carson street. This will take 10 feet of the right-of-way of the Wabash. Work was ordered suspended there until a decision is reached on the matter.

WANTS OPEN SESSIONS.

Controller Larkin Desires Impartial Witnesses to Attend Sub-Finance Committee's Meeting in Mayor's Office.

The sub-finance committee on appropriations will meet again today in the mayor's office, and it will be secret and behind closed doors, unless Controller Larkin is able to enforce his wish to have open sessions, as the city charter provides. It is settled that the controller is to have all the responsibility for the appropriation bills, and it is understood that he realizes that if a controversy should later arise concerning the extent of his activity his word only would be against that of the mayor, Director Bigelow and councilmen who are followers of the administration. The controller is said to wish to have impartial witnesses present and to realize it is possible only if the meetings are public. He is willing to accept the responsibility for the bills.

C. W. Helmold, who is chairman of the sub-committee, said yesterday that the tax rate would be kept down to 12½ mills and it was expected Controller Larkin would supply the figures.

Chairman Helmold said the sub-committee had decided to cut the Carnegie library appropriation, taking $10,000 from the $158,000 asked for, because the receipts of the music hall equal $10,000. William N. Frew, chairman of the library's board of trustees, afterward said that if this program were carried out there would be a deficiency and money would have to be borrowed, because the appropriation requested took into consideration the music hall's receipts and was, therefore, $7,000 lower than would have been asked otherwise.

TRIP WAS CUT SHORT.

Travelers Assert That Steamship Agent Failed to Forward Money.

A. J. Scorer, a Smithfield street steamship agent, charged by John Russell of Melrose avenue, Allegheny, and Joseph Speer of Brighton road, Allegheny, with keeping money entrusted to him to be forwarded to them in the old country, was held for court in $1,500 bail by Alderman McMasters yesterday.

Russell claims he placed in Scorer's care $362, and Speer gave him $1,476. The money, it is claimed, was never forwarded, and as a result the men with their families were stranded and had to return to prosecute Scorer.

PLANTS MADE POSSIBLE BY SCIENTIFIC METHODS

Dr. Rusby, the Noted Botanist, Talks to the Academy of Science and Art.

Henry Hurd Rusby, M. D., the famous botanist and dean of the faculty of the New York College of Pharmacy, lectured on "The Mitigation of Plant Products" before the Academy of Science and Art in the Pittsburgh Conservatory of music, Dithridge street, last evening. Striking figures were given to indicate the enormous annual waste of natural vegetable products in the tropical American forests, and the lecturer continued:

A science of economic botany requires the primary classification and correlation of all plant utilities, thus affording a qualitative basis; then the assigning of each member of the group to its position of relative value, based on an estimate of its degree of valuable properties. Such a scheme will enable us to select intelligently.

The next step is the improvement of the stocks thus selected. This is done primarily by the ordinary processes of culture and selection, but far greater results are to be accomplished by cross-breeding. This is shown by the recent development by this method of new varieties of sugar cane which not only yield unprecedented percentages of sugar, but resist cane diseases which utterly destroy the old varieties, planted in alternating rows. A New England grape grower, removing to Texas, found that state almost destitute of cultivated grapes, for which the climate had been found unsuited. He designed on paper large numbers of varieties of different sorts, and ripening at different times, and then proceeded to cross-breed and improve wild varieties, until he had more than realized his original design, the famous "Munson" race of grapes having resulted. Seedless fruits, color-breeding of flowers and the development of temperate-growing varieties of tropical fruits are subjects now engaging the attention of breeders. Some of the modern methods of agriculture would be a great revelation to farmers of the olden time. It is now possible to grow vast numbers of bacteria in a barrel of water by merely stirring in it a small cake, like a yeast cake, supplied by the department of agriculture. Seeds of peas, beans or clover, soaked in this water before planting, will develop plants which bear upon their roots colonies of these bacteria. These bacteria will absorb fertilizer from the air and impart it to the plants, causing them to produce crops on the poorest soil which would be called excellent in a rich soil without this treatment. By bacterial cultivation, the butters and cheeses of foreign sorts can now be produced at once, under the same roof with our domestic varieties.

In medicine, considerable has been done in this line. The cost of quinine, for example, has been reduced to a small fraction of what it once was. Cheap and abundant supplies have militated against drug improvement in general, by these methods, but increasing scarcity is now causing inquiries in this line.

Operations of this kind require such long periods of time, and such costly labor, and are doomed to such repeated disappointments and failures, that private enterprise and capital can rarely be depended on to bring them to a successful issue and botanical gardens, of which agricultural experiment stations are a form, are absolutely necessary as a means of carrying them on.

"McFadden's Flats."

Presented by a larger company than ever before, "McFadden's Flats," with the celebrated Speck brothers, who are known as the original "Yellow Kids," is at the Duquesne theater next week. The extravaganza-farce, as it is known, is made up of tuneful music and plenty of dancing.

Safety Committee Meets Today.

The Pittsburgh councilmanic committee on public safety will meet at 3 o'clock this afternoon for the consideration of several ordinances which have been referred to it.

Applications for loans on improved business or residence property in Allegheny county will be given prompt attention by manager mortgage department of The Safe Deposit and Trust Company of Pittsburgh, Fourth avenue and Wood street.

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Mid Winter Clearance Sale of PIANOS

The principal offerings of this sale have to do with special prices on new, sample and discontinued styles of pianos from various makers.

Briefly, we give a few items. We urge an early call and inspection of these goods. The prices and the goods named are the strongest arguments we can offer in behalf of this sale.

Five Fischer Pianos

$500 value. New, largest size, walnut or mahogany cases, discontinued styles, now only $310

$400 Kurtzman, mahogany case, new, largest size; only $260

$375 Jacob Doll, elaborately carved mahogany case, largest size; only $255

$325 Jacob Doll, in walnut case, plainer design than above; only $215

$300 Stoddard piano, one of the handsomest medium priced pianos we have had this winter; only $175

$400 Vough piano—particularly interesting to singers, because of transposing device—rich mahogany case; only $270

$375 Becker Bros., rich walnut case, large size, double panels, a fine piano for a fine home; only $255

$325 Cable & Sons, rich mahogany veneers, hand carved panels, copper wound bass strings, nickel pins, very attractive; only $197

IN OUR EXCHANGE DEPARTMENT

$350 Chickering upright $85
$350 Pease upright $100
$400 Fischer upright $110
$250 Tiffany mahogany $150
$275 Cable & Sons mahogany $160
$600 Decker Bros.' upright $175
$400 Barnes & Son, in finest mahogany case $240
$400 Ellington, mahogany case $200
$400 Fischer, oak case $225
$600 A. B. Chase, dark case $300

We have special offers on Pianos with interior self-playing devices, on used piano players, such as Ideal, Pianola, Harmonist and others, at $85.00 and up. Square pianos at $50, used organs at $15, grand pianos at $450, and a host of bargains in violins, guitars, sheet music and other musical goods. There is no other store hereabouts that can so completely supply your every musical want as this store.

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Collars, 11c Each; $1.25 Dozen.
In a Regular Way They Sell for 20c.

Cuffs, 15c a Pair; $1.70 Dozen.
In a Regular Way They Sell for 25c.

Unlaundered White Shirts, 50c Each.
In a Regular Way They Sell for 75c.

White Unlaundered Pleated Bosom Shirts, 50c Each.
In a Regular Way They Sell for $1.00.

Madras Negligee Shirts, Plain Bosom, All Colors, 85c.
Many $1.50 Shirts Are Not as Good.

White Madras Plain and Pleated Bosom Shirts, $1.00 Each.
We Should Say $1.75 Would Be Cheap for Them.

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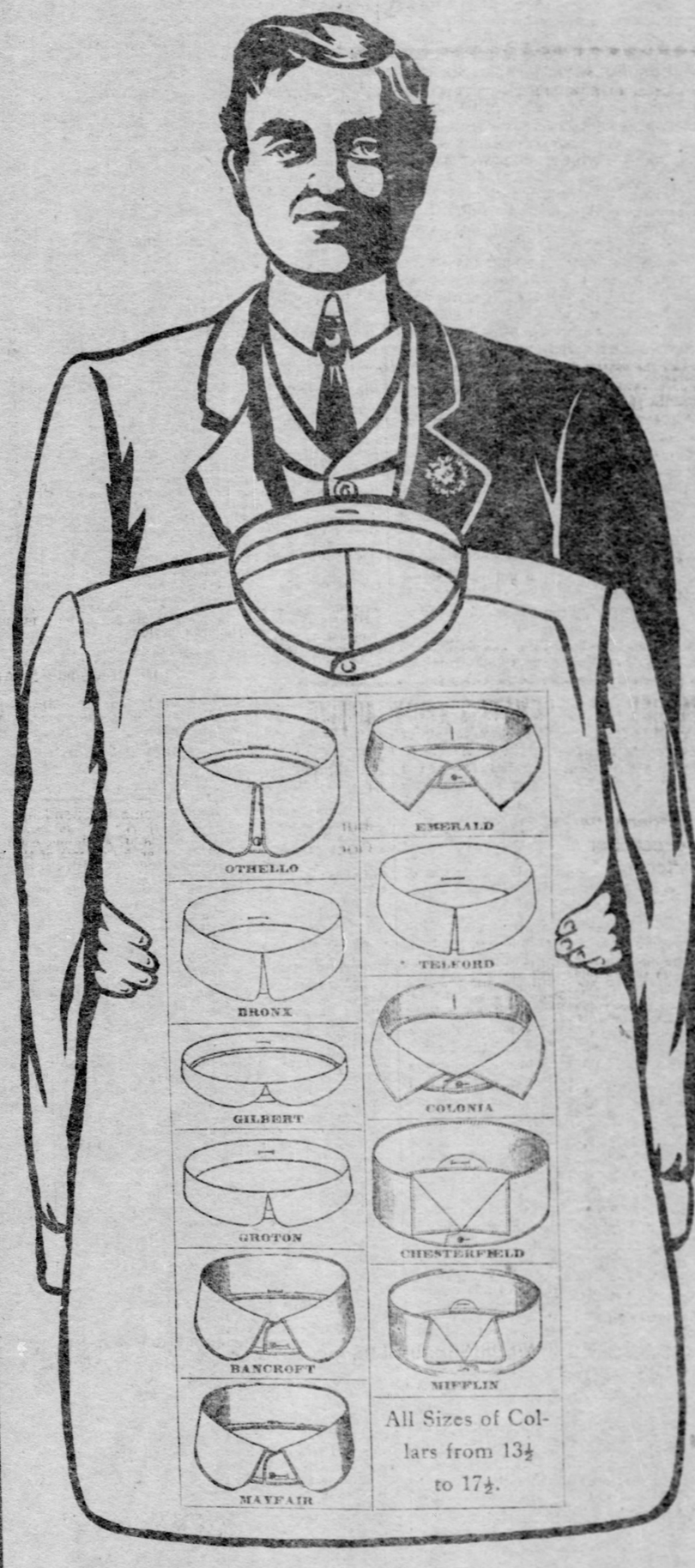

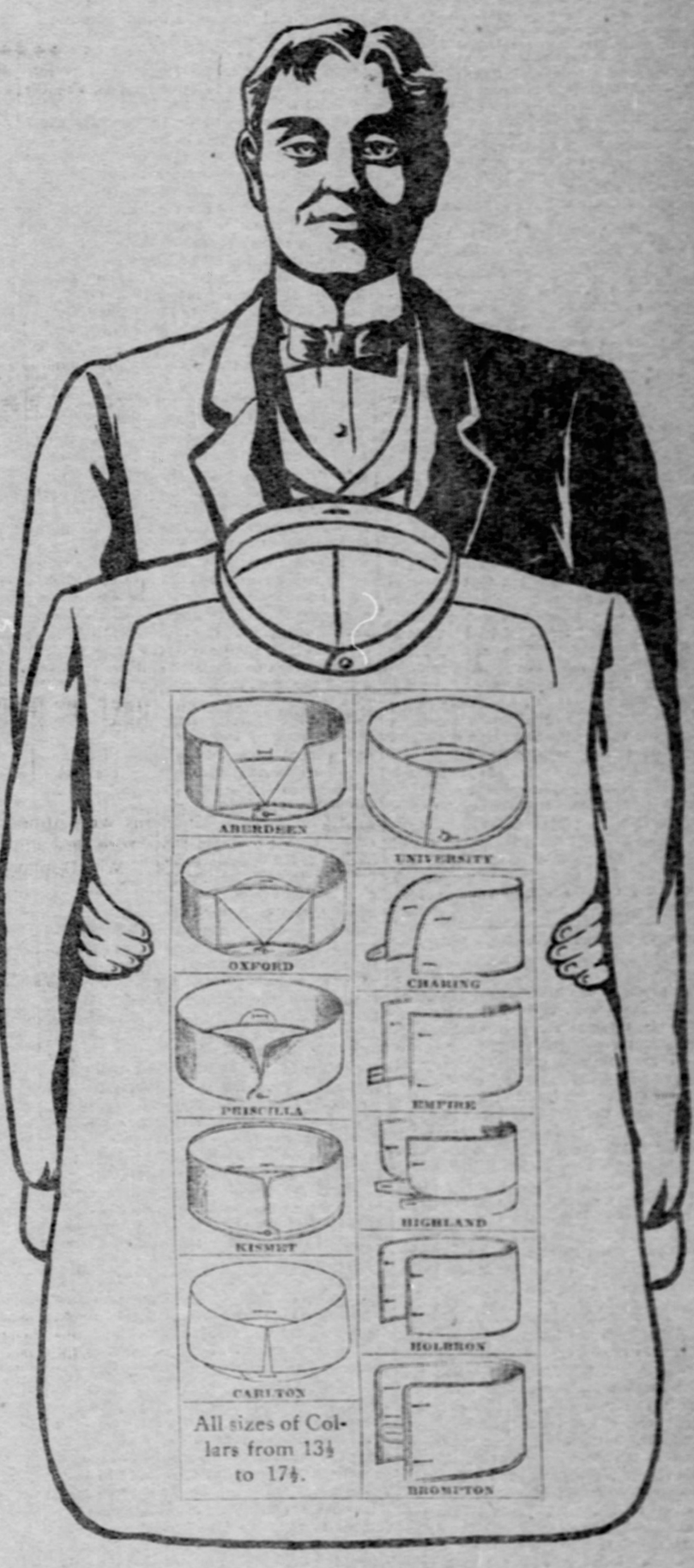

Some Detail Regarding the Shirts.

The Collars and Cuffs are too well known to need any particular words. They are the same high grade we have sold in these sales the past 10 years.

The Four-In-Hands constitute one of those snappy bargains thrown in to add zest to the day's doings.

But it is the Shirts which we wish to hold up to the particular attention of men, and herewith some detail.

The Unlaundered Shirts at 50c.

These are White Shirts, the body made of an excellent grade of muslin, the linen in the bosoms being exceptionally good.

There are two styles—open front and back, and open back.

They are the sort of unlaundered shirts that sell regularly for 75c, and they are good shirts for that price.

There are all neck sizes.

The Colored Negligee Shirts at 85c.

This is the shirt par excellence of the collection. The shirts are all made of madras, and they are all plain bosom. The cuffs are detached.

They are the best shirts we ever had for the price, and they were made by an American who backs his work with his reputation. Madras shirts at $1.50 are no better.

As we bought the material and then found a maker in whom we had confidence, each shirt is ample as to material, and is perfect fitting.

All sorts of pretty color combinations, and all neck sizes—from 13½ to 17½.

White Negligee Shirts for the Even $1.00.

Choice is from pleated bosoms and plain bosoms. Cuffs are either detached or attached.

We only have 600 of these shirts, so the line is limited.

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This is a particularly neat negligee shirt, and the white madras is of a superior grade—a grade generally used in shirts that command a much higher price.

White Shirts With Pleated Bosoms 50c.

A happy surprise, both for you and us—a noted maker, knowing of this sale, offered us 700 of his $1.00 shirts at a price which enabled us to say 50c each.

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Friday, January 20, 1905.

New York city is having a spasm over the suppression of gamblers. Under the new law permitting an offender to testify without incriminating himself, District Attorney Jerome has been bringing them into court until some of the large houses have been closed. There is also an agitation in favor of repealing the Raines law regulating liquor selling or amending it so that it will not prove so farcical. The district attorney is in favor of legalizing Sunday selling for certain hours, but others oppose this. The district attorney continues his activity in the suppression of crime, declaring that he does not want the nomination for mayor, for he would be content to secure re-election to his present position.

Word comes from Florida that a Boston man has run his automobile along the beach at the rate of a mile in 37 seconds, thus beating the record made by W. K. Vanderbilt on the same course. The sand, hardened by the beating of the waves, makes an ideal track for racing, as the wheels of the vehicle do not indent the surface. At the same time the sand is damp and allows a tenacious grip for the rubber tires. It may seem surprising that the automobile record approaches so close to that made on a track by the locomotive which steamed a mile in 32 seconds. But the racing auto is little less than a locomotive, while it gains by its lightness so as to almost offset the advantage of steel rails. In the meantime the bicycle has been distanced as a record-breaker, for the fastest time on two wheels is a mile in 1:06 1-3.

Secretary Hay has won another diplomatic triumph by his prompt action to counteract the effect of the recent Russian note menacing the integrity of China. He immediately addressed the powers upon the subject and has already received replies from England, Germany and France, renewing their adherence to the principle of the integrity of China and the principle of "the open door." It is stated that Secretary Hay's note made no reference to the recent protest of Russia, but none the less it is an effective reply thereto. A cable dispatch from France says that Italy is also in accord with the policy defined by Secretary Hay. The acquiescence of Japan may be assumed, so that if Russia adopts a policy of aggression she must confront all the other powers. The preservation of China must be attributed largely to American influence and that influence is largely based upon the fact that we have a large and growing navy.

The firing upon the imperial party which took place in St. Petersburg yesterday is a mysterious affair, the details of which are yet to be satisfactorily explained. If it be true, as some accounts have it, that shrapnel was fired from one of the regular batteries, the affair has a terrible significance, as it implies that the troops upon whom the authorities rely to repress any popular uprising are themselves disaffected. It is hard to believe that a cannon was trained upon the imperial chapel by accident, and if the firing was intentional then some of the gunners of the czar's picked guard were in a conspiracy which might have been fatal. A striking feature of the affair is the unflinching composure with which the czar passed through the ordeal. Whatever else may be said of the dynasts they are not lacking in courage. There is probably not a monarch in Europe who does not live in peril of assassination, but imperturbability is a characteristic which all possess.

The United States is having excellent success with the personal representatives sent to straighten out the tangles that confuse little nations or discontented subjects. Secretary Root calmed Cuba's ruffled feelings, Gov. Taft was peacemaker in the Philippines and as secretary of war went down to Panama to give its citizens some good advice and now Commander Dillingham has gone to Haiti as an accountant to see about properly collecting the customs duties so that foreign creditors may have their share of the money. The naval commander was instructed to work in harmony with the United States consul and he has been cordially received by the dusky officials on the island. If he should succeed in his mission as special commissioner and collect the money promptly he might set a precedent for the United States to act as general collector on this continent. No doubt European nations would prefer this method to that of organizing joint blockades to be followed by efforts to collect the claims themselves.

Issue is now joined between England and Russia over the North sea affair, their respective versions of the occurrence having been submitted to the international commission. According to the British statement there were no armed vessels among the fishing boats and no Japanese warship of any kind was in the North sea. According to the Russian statement two torpedo boats were seen rushing upon a battleship and the fleet opened fire in its defense. According to the summary of the Russian statement, it is not specifically claimed that the two torpedo boats were Japanese, but that is necessarily implied and it will be interesting to note what proof of their presence Russia will offer. It is simply impossible that two Japanese boats of any sort could have made their way into the North sea without some notice being taken of their going or coming. The Russian statement admits that fishing boats were seen and that they were in the line of fire, but it is contended that the peril in which the squadron was exposed did not justify cessation of fire or of stopping to offer help to the bombarded fishing boats. The Russian case seems to be absurdly weak.

To Improve the Consular Service.

President Roosevelt has sent a special message to congress commending a plan of improvement in the consular service prepared by Secretary Loomis, based upon personal investigations made by him into the condition of the service. The plan is modest in proportions and tentative in character, involving little expense, but it cannot be doubted that the results will be valuable, although eventually more extensive reforms will probably be required. The labors of the special agents whose appointment is now proposed will guide future action, and the present measure is so little of an innovation that there ought to be no difficulty about securing the approval of congress.

The subject is one in which commercial interests are deeply concerned and for some years past a systematic agitation in favor of a reorganization of the consular service has been carried on by business organizations. Memorials from boards of trade and chambers of commerce all over the country have been sent to congress in favor of action. The measure now recommended by the president does not go as far as has been advocated, but it will be recognized as a step in the right direction. The party leaders in congress will do well if they arrange to have prompt legislative action taken.

The Cost of Lighting.

Dr. Carroll D. Wright has rendered an elaborate report upon the comparative cost of municipal lighting, the conclusions of which lend great support to the advocates of municipal lighting, as it appears that for like service municipal service is much more economical. The average price a lamp a year for arc lighting when done by a corporation under contract is given at $101 97 for over 4,000 hours of service, as against an average cost of $58 16 when the municipality has its own plant. In incandescent lighting the showing to the advantage of municipal lighting is not so great, but still Dr. Wright's detailed exhibits show that municipal ownership is the more economical. In gas supply there is such great variation in costs that there can hardly be said to be any average, and amount of production appears also to have an important bearing upon the cost a thousand cubic feet. The comparison indicates that with an output of less than 10,000,000 cubic feet municipal plants are more costly than private plants, but in larger quantities the cost a thousand is less.

There is no reason why lighting should cost less on public account than on private account, and efficiency in service might be expected to be less. In fact, it is not doubted that private plants are run more economically and that cost of production is less than with municipal plants. The high rates charged by corporations are due to the heavy capitalization, creating a burden of fixed charges for which the consumer must pay. Thus the profligacy with which public franchises are conferred upon corporations instead of obtaining good service for the people has precisely the contrary effect. The franchises are capitalized at such inordinate amounts that exorbitant profits must be exacted to meet the interest account and pay dividends. The success of Canadian and English cities in getting cheaper service in the way of telephones, lighting and street railway transportation is due to the care with which they safeguard public interests in granting franchises.

The Democratic Incubus.

As soon as the Atlanta Constitution caught its wind after the knockout of election day it declared for a southern man for 1908. It has been preaching frequently from that text ever since, presenting arguments which are sufficiently obvious. The south gives the electoral votes, and yet it is always standing aside and allowing some other section to name the candidates. So great has been its subserviency that it has subscribed to platforms which it did not approve, and which if seriously carried into effect would be ruinous to southern interests. This policy has resulted in nothing but party disaster. Hence the Constitution argues that the only chance the party now has is in a return to the historic principles of the Democratic party, "and the only possibility of such a return lies in unhampered southern control of the organization, the predominance of southern ideas in the platform and the nomination of a representative southern statesman for the presidency."

The Constitution quotes without any expression of dissent the following from Gunton's Magazine:

"If the party leadership should pass to the south, there is good reason to believe that, on the tariff question, the attitude of the Democracy would be, if not pronounced protectionist, very much more rational and moderate. On the money question the south can be trusted to be as sound as the north. The fiat money mania always appealed more to the west than to the south. The soundest expressions on the tariff and general economic policy in the Democratic party in this campaign have come from the south."

Such an attitude is radically different from that of the St. Louis platform and implies that Bryan's influence would be overthrown. There was good evidence at St. Louis that Bryan's influence in the south is already overthrown. With the exception of Missouri and Florida the southern delegations voted solidly against Bryan in the issue raised by him over Parker's gold standard telegram. But the south accepted the platform compromises which made that document a Bryan manifesto, and the same considerations which then influenced her representatives are still potent.

The great incubus of the Democratic party is the two-thirds rule. That has the effect of making every element timid and subservient in regard to platform declarations, for the reason that if any strong minority faction should be offended it is in its power to defeat the candidate favored by the majority. Hence it was that Hill, Sheehan and Belmont were willing to submit to almost anything in the platform in order to get the nomination for Parker. A movement for a southern man for 1908 will be in the same dilemma. Principle will have to be compromised to secure the two-thirds majority necessary for nomination. The Democratic party will not find itself until it gets rid of that anti-democratic contrivance.

Anarchy in Macedonia.

Great Britain has reopened the Macedonian question on the ground that the Austro-Russian reform measures are a hopeless failure, and the powers are being approached with a proposal to place Macedonia under the control of a Christian governor general not responsible to the sultan, but to the powers. There is no doubt that under the present arrangement Macedonia has sunk into a state of horrible anarchy. The chief causes of the present disorder appear to be the mutual depredations and atrocities of antagonistic elements among the Christian population. Bands of Bulgarians and Greeks are vieing with one another in the perpetration of rapine, arson and murder. The Greeks appear to be getting the worst of it, a number of their schools and churches having been destroyed by Bulgarian bands. The cable dispatches recently reported a horrible outrage near Saloniki, the family of a Greek notable being captured by a Bulgarian band and burned to death in a baker's furnace. The Greeks are appealing to the Porte for protection against the Bulgarians, but the policy of the Porte appears to be one of contemptuous indifference to outrages perpetrated by Christians upon Christians.

Macedonia is altogether unfit for self-government, as it is a mixture of nationalities divided by bitter feuds. Bosnia was, however, in as bad a condition when Austria took control and now the country is peaceful and industrious, the different races and creeds having learned to live at peace with one another under a just and strong government. Just such a scheme as England now proposes was many years ago successfully introduced to restore order in Lebanon which had been in a state of anarchy. The real difficulty in the way of suppressing disorder in Macedonia is that the mutual jealousies of the powers will not permit the adoption of effective measures, and the outlook is not propitious for the adoption of the British proposals.

The Best Peace Policy.

Secretary Taft, in his annual report upon Philippine affairs, lays great stress upon the necessity of promoting the industrial development of the islands. It is certain that in that rather than in any political arrangements the hope of progress lies. In order to be successful the rule of civilization must open to the natives opportunities which shall attract them to peaceful industry and array their material interests against tribal wars and rapine. Hence the trade returns from a country brought under civilized control are an index of its condition. The pacification of Tunis is one of the great achievements of France, and when we examine the trade returns the reason why the natives are content under the new regime is apparent. In the last 10 years the commerce of the country has just about doubled and the exports show a long list of native products. The increase of from $7,000,000 to $14,000,000 of exports in 10 years means that the industrial occupation of the people has been steadily expanding, and a people who are busy are not prone to disorder, while on the other hand it remains eternally true that "satan finds some mischief still for idle hands to do." If congress could be induced to remove the restrictions which now oppress the trade of the Philippines more would be done toward pacifying the islands than any possible gift of political institutions could accomplish.

If Senator McNichol of Philadelphia looks like some of the pictures of him that are appearing in the newspapers the blue laws had better take to the tall grass.

Perhaps the sudden cold air visitation in the east is due to the rapid consummation of all the idle hot air in that New York theatrical quarrel.

If all the attempted attacks upon the czar's life show such bad markmanship, his majesty need not take the trouble even to duck.

The prophets who said this was to be a very "open" winter have now switched off and say we will have a very hot summer.

Now that the New York tax lists have been made up several gentlemen of wealth will resume their residence in that city.

Like all other show towns Harrisburg has some vaudeville in the "bills" that are presented there from day to day.

The bobsled continues to take the place of the toy pistol and the unloaded gun as a destructive agency.

The weather man shows signs of springing another mixup between a cold wave and a thunder shower.

They seem to have pulled off a regular old-fashioned Kentucky election over in Hungary yesterday.

Future history will record this period as one very prolific in the production of female financiers.

Evidently some one has put a tack upside down in one of Senator Stone's gum shoes.

From this distance it isn't quite clear whether the Coombes ministry fell or was pushed.

Already the flood of bills is pouring in at Harrisburg, good, bad and indifferent.

Railroad rate bills are multiplying as a sign that some measure is certain to pass.

Senator Knox, now, for six years and a fraction. Everybody is pleased.

Russia's concern for Chinese neutrality is adding to the gaiety of nations.

Senator Knox need not ask, "Is my toga on straight?" "It fits to a T."

Allegheny grafters may begin to think about hiding, but it is too late.

Fall River will now return to its place of obscurity on the map.

In this county, at least, the good roads movement is progressing.

Oberlin (O.) will now adopt the Scotch plaid as its city color.

Talked of in Gotham

By FRANK A. PARKER.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—At a meeting of the state board of railroad commissioners today Frank M. Baker, a railway expert, read a report in which he stated that the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company must spend $20,000,000 in the next few years in order to furnish proper traveling facilities for the growing population of Brooklyn and the Long Island suburbs.

"From various data at hand," said Mr. Baker, "I estimate that $8,500,000 should be spent on Brooklyn rapid transit during 1905, $5,000,000 during 1906, and the rest of the $20,000,000 during the third year. In the last two and a half years they have spent about $11,500,000. This is not enough. With their present facilities they cannot cope with the difficulties of the situation.

"To begin with, they need at the very least 100 new cars for the elevated system and 200 new cars for the surface lines. They haven't the cars necessary to carry the crowds. Especially do they lack terminal facilities. Under the present system the terminals clog the working of all the lines. They should be bettered, and quickly. The Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company must keep its railways in better shape. They must make improvements in proportion to the growth of population. They are not doing it at present. For instance, on December 24, 1904, 1,167,000 passengers used the company's lines. On the same day in 1903, 1,100,000 passengers traveled on them. In November, 1904, the Brooklyn company collected fares from 22,550,000 persons as against 22,200,000 in November of the preceding year. Instead of keeping abreast of the increasing business, they are falling behind. Only by the outlay of a large sum of money can they make their lines what they should be, and furnish Brooklyn residents the service they should have."

Republican Women to Be More Active.

With the installation of the recently elected officers of the West End Women's Republican association on January 26, this active organization will open headquarters at the new Hotel Astor, and will enlarge the scope of its work. For 10 years the meetings have been held in the West Side Republican club, No. 2307 Broadway, and it has grown in membership and influence until it has become a recognized factor in party work.

The enlarged plans of the association which have not yet been made public have to do with municipal conditions. It being believed that there are lines on which able and public-spirited women can work with better results than men can achieve. The 10th anniversary of the organization of the association was marked by a tea given at the Hotel Endicott by Mrs. J. Ella Root to the outgoing and incoming officers of the club.

Every Man His Own Chauffeur.

The veriest tyro in automobiling may learn the management of a machine in a short time, at no expense for teaching, by a few visits to the automobile show in the Madison Square garden. First let him visit the galleries and look over the various accessories and parts, and, with the aid of the catalogue and the explanations of those in charge of the booths, obtain a general knowledge in one visit. On the second visit let him visit the booths of the makers on the ground floor, where the finished product will be seen. At every space there are a dozen or more experts ready to explain in detail their machines, to show the best points of construction in all parts, and patiently answer any questions that may be asked regarding the product.

The bodies are to be seen for themselves, but the motors, steering gears and in fact all the working parts are fully exposed, and their mechanism will be fully explained to any seeker after information. A second day may be necessary for this part of the education, and at the end of that time the tyro will be a full-fledged automobile enthusiast, ready to discuss the merits of this or that machine to the great astonishment of his friends. The garden this year is thronged with such students, and experts are being made every day. There was no decrease today in the number of visitors, and the place was uncomfortably filled in the early morning hours.

Their Fortune Has Bad Turn.

Lucio Philippi, a fuel dealer, caused the arrest this morning of two young Spanish women whom he accused of obtaining money from him under false pretenses. The prisoners described themselves as Josepha Dolores and Rosa Rosario of Mulberry street. The two girls entered Philippi's place of business and, he said, for $2 promised to tell his fortune in a way that would make him rich thereafter. They told him so many improbable things that he became suspicious and told them to wait until he could get coffee for them, according to true Spanish hospitality. Then he hurried around to the West Sixty-eighth street station and got a policeman. The two young women, weeping and protesting their innocence, were taken to the station and locked up. They offered to tell Sergeant Rehan's fortune if he would let them go.

Everything Is Radio-Active.

Prof. Monroe B. Snyder, director of the observatory of the Philadelphia Central High school, has announced that he has discovered the presence of radium in the photosphere or luminous envelope of the sun. He says that radio-activity is also evident in the aurora borealis and other terrestrial phenomena and he believes it also to be present in many stars, nebulae and other heavenly bodies.

William J. Hammer, author of the first work ever published on the subject of radium, and a recognized authority, is not surprised at the discovery. "The opinion is now becoming generally accepted," he said, "that all substances in nature are to a limited extent radio-active, although it has not been conclusively proven. By radio-activity is meant substances which are not like light rays, but which possess an enormous amount of energy, proving remarkable chemical, physiological, luminous, thermal, electrical and other effects."

Will Have Military Color.

Maj.-Gen. James F. Wade and staff of the Atlantic division and Brig.-Gen. Frederick D. Grant and staff of the department of the east of the United States army have accepted invitations to attend the charity ball in aid of the Nursery and Child's hospital, February 2, at the Waldorf-Astoria. Mrs. Wade and Mrs. Grant, together with the wives of the other army officers, will give the function military color.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

Waldorf-Astoria.
J. P. Cappeau,
Mrs. Cappeau,
H. B. Lampton,
E. A. Woods,
S. Zoch,
P. C. Sermes,
L. G. Woods,
E. T. Wendt,
G. H. Singer,
J. W. Walker.

Holland.
C. Carter,
R. E. Clemson.

Imperial.
L. Howe,
C. C. Preston,
S. A. Nicholson,
S. A. White,
Mrs. L. Osborne,
E. P. Gerber,
H. L. Kreagher,
W. J. McMartin,
G. H. Bailey,
R. S. Mitchell,
S. DeRoy,
T. W. Boyd,
F. C. McQuiston,
M. D. Kohn,
Mrs. Kohn,
D. H. Barr,
Mrs. Barr,
W. D. Hamilton,
Dr. O. A. Taber.

Breslin.
W. H. Selz.

Broadway Central.
F. Disque.

Astor House.
T. Ward.

Cosmopolitan.
D. W. Patten.

Union Square.
V. B. Arnold.

Fifth Avenue.
W. F. Brunn,
E. E. Powers.

Gilsey.
H. P. Mallick,
W. P. Sargent,
A. M. Asklin,
Miss R. Wolf,
S. Wolf,
M. Friedman,
Mrs. Friedman.

Grand Union.
B. Gelbsety,
H. N. Dunn,
Mrs. Dunn,
G. Phillip,
Mrs. Phillip,
G. H. Tabor,
J. H. Martin.

York.
D. J. Higgins,
C. W. Cochran,
W. L. Blair.

Normandie.
M. L. Rolt,
P. Boyd.

Hotel Aster.
G. R. Morris,
W. J. Morris.

Herald Square.
W. M. Fitzpatrick,
W. F. Struthers.

Manhattan.
Mrs. Patterson,
Mrs. L. H. Williams,
Miss Williams,
E. H. Utley,
Mrs. Utley,
Miss Utley,
Miss E. Card,
H. A. Carpenter,
R. L. Wilson.

St. Denis.
J. I. Shaw.

Raleigh.
M. Krieger.

Hoffman.
J. R. Merrow.

Seville.
G. E. Cimiotti.

Peace Novels Fiction.

A Pittsburgh preacher has offered $1,000 for the best novel on international peace. He is wise in limiting the entries to works of fiction.—Chicago Record-Herald.

The Quiet Observer.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

Do you like babies?

Some do and some do not. And yet all agree that they are good things and the more the merrier and better this old world.

Why shouldn't you like babies? You were one yourself, unless you happen to be a truly supernatural creature, which isn't at all likely, not in this matter-of-fact age.

It seems that all animals, including man, have to be born, and to pass through the stage known as infancy.

You may have wondered why men are not created of full size and perfect, as was our father Adam.

Are you quite certain that Adam, the animal, was not born in the usual way?

Adam, the man in the image of God, differed from the sons of men about him in that he was capable of reasoning, and could appreciate the difference between right and wrong.

That the sons of men were high class animals may be inferred from the fact that the sons of God, through Adam, looked upon the daughters of the sons of men, and finding them to be fair, took them for wives.

All of this will appear clear enough to you if you read the story of man as given in the book of Genesis, from which story we are led to conclude that man were the highest order of animals and needed only the power of reasoning to give them dominion over all others.

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But that is off the baby question, or rather on the side.

If you don't like babies you will not take proper care of them, should any be assigned to you to keep, and to nourish and to fit for the duties of life.

The unwelcome baby has the hearty sympathy of every loving son and daughter of God.

"God pity them," says the humanitarian

God love them. Pity is too cold a word. They need love to sustain and develop them spiritually as much as they need milk to sustain and develop them physically.

Other animals love their babies and nurse and care for them until they are able to forage and care for themselves.

That the highest type of animals should not do as much is most strange, to say the least.

When an animal of the lower order neglects or ill treats its young it is said to be unnatural or degenerate and is usually killed, as it deserves to be, for an open violation of the command of God.

What then shall we say of parents who bring children into the world and then neglect or ill treat them?

If the present generation could live forever without growing old or becoming effete there might be some excuse for suppressing babies, but seeing that a score of years hence the present generation will have practically passed out of active life, and those who are mere boys and girls now will have taken their places, the importance of the babies who are to take their places becomes quite apparent.

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The most inveterate objector to the baby is the other baby, the infant terrible. One of these has spoken through a modern poet, not being able to express itself clearly in words, and its arraignment of the new baby in the house is strong and clear, and rather humorous:

THE NEW BABY.

Yes, I've got a little brother,
Never asked to have him, nuther,
But he's here.
They just went away and bought him,
And last week the doctor brought him.
Weren't that queer?

When I heard the news from Molly,
Why, I thought, at first, 'twas jolly;
'Cause, you see,
I s'posed I could go and get him,
And then mamma, course, would let him
Play with me.

But when I had once looked at him,
"Why," says I, "great snakes, is that him?
Just that mite?"
They said, "Yes," and "Ain't he cunnin'?"
And I thought they must be funnin'—
He's a sight!

He's so small, it's just amazin',
And you'd think that he was blazin',
He's so red.
And his nose is like a berry,
And he's bald as Uncle Jerry,
On his head.

Why, he isn't worth a brick.
All he does is cry and kick.
He can't stop;
Won't ye up, you can't arrange him—
I don't see why pa don't change him
At the shop.

Now we've got to dress and feed him,
And we really didn't need him
More'n a frog;
Why'd they buy a baby brother,
When they know I'd good deal ruther
Have a dog?

—Anon.

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Infants being different in style and temperament, the same as other folks, it is most natural that they should see babies from different standpoints, and have different feelings aroused at sight of them. Here is one who commissioned Poet Nesbit to put his kick into verse:

My maw, she's upstairs in bed.
An' it's there wif her.
It's all bundled up an' red,
Can't nobody stir,
Can't nobody say a word,
Since it came to us.
Only thing 'at I have heard,
'Cepting all its fuss,
Is "Sh-h-h!"

That there nurse, she shakes her head
When I come upstairs,
"Sh-h-h!" she say. 'At's all she's said
To me anywheres.
Doctor—he's th' man 'at brung
It to us to stay—
He makes me put out my tongue,
Nen sez "Sh-h-h!" 'at way—
Jest "Sh-h-h!"

I good in to see my maw,
Nen climb on th' bed,
Was she glad to see me? Fellow!
"Sh-h-h!"—'at's what she said!
Nen I blinked and tried to see;
Nen, I runned away
Out to my old apple tree,
Where no one could say
"Sh-h-h!"

Nen I lay down on th' ground
An' say 'at I jest wish
I was big, an' there's a mound;
'At old tree says "Sh-h-h!"
Till my paw, he hears,
An' comed there an' wiped my eye
An' mop up th' tears—
Nen sez, "Sh-h-h!"

I'm go' tell my maw 'at she
Don't suit me one bit,
Why d' all say "Sh-h-h!" to me
An' not say "Sh-h-h!" to it?

—Chicago Tribune.

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It is very evident that baby isn't understood, and in its vain efforts to make us understand it often drives us to anger, and in our anger we say harsh words and do harsh things that are neither to our credit nor to baby's comfort.

And as it grows up its changing life is not always understood, not even when it has developed into a full-grown man or woman.

Indeed, when we come to think of it, how many of us understand each other, and how many are there who understand us?

If we understood babies better and their mission, we would understand men and women better and be better understood ourselves.

Should Seek Publicity.

Bishop Talbot ought, for the sake of his own fair fame and that of the church in which he is a leader, to press for an impartial and searching inquiry that shall finally settle the question whether he is a colossal liar or Dr. Irvine is a hypocrite. A clergyman's reputation, like a woman's, should be above suspicion. At present both the bishop and the unfrocked priest are dogged by whisper and innuendo which go far to counteract their utterances and undo their labors. A criminal's reasons for wishing to smother investigation and escape on a technicality are evident; but an honest man wronged by unjust charges must court the fullest publicity.—New York Evening Post.

Impeachment Case

By L. W. STRAYER.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—The most interesting incident of the present session of congress came to a close yesterday afternoon when the house of representatives voted to adopt articles of impeachment against Charles Swayne, United States judge for the Northern district of Florida. This being a question of the highest privilege, there was no limit to the time that might be occupied by debate and consequently the discussion extended over several days. And it was the most earnest debate heard in the house for a long time, partisanship being laid aside and the question being argued solely on the facts presented at the hearing before the judiciary committee. To be sure, there were charges of political treasure injected into the discussion at times, but these instances were rare and the charges were invariably met by the most emphatic words of repudiation and denial.

Members Changed Their Minds.

The effect of this exchange of views and opinions was easily discernible in the vote reached yesterday. On December 12, when the house adopted a resolution declaring for the impeachment of Judge Swayne, it was carried by a majority of 170. Yesterday when a test vote was taken on a motion to lay the articles of impeachment on the table, the vote was 199 to 165, a bare majority of 3 against the motion. The difference is the majorities on the first vote and the second being 132, it indicated that 66 members who had at first believed in the justice of impeaching the judge, had later changed their minds and had reversed their votes. As a matter of fact there were some changes of more than 66, some going over to one side and some to the other, but the net change amounted to 66 votes in Judge Swayne's favor.

A most significant fact in connection with the result was that party lines were disregarded. Four Democrats voted with the majority of the Republicans against the articles and 24 Republicans voted with the Democrats in favor of them. It was a flattering commentary upon the ability of congress to lay aside party prejudice where a great question, such as the honor and integrity of the courts, is concerned.

Born of Political Hatred.

There is little doubt that the project for removing Judge Swayne from the United States bench had its origin in political hatred and partisan resentment. A native of Pennsylvania and receiving his judicial appointment while a citizen of Northern Delaware, Judge Swayne went down into the south to assume his duties fitly prepared by his previous environments and associations to sympathize with the means that are employed in some of the southern districts to disfranchise the negro.

The result was that contested election cases brought before him were decided upon their merits and with more regard for the Fourteenth amendment to the Constitution than for the interests of the dominant party of the south. This course could possibly result in but one outcome, that to set on his heels a horde of politicians whose consuming ambition was to have him removed. There was only one way to accomplish this. A United States judge is a fixture for life or during good behavior. Thus there remained no way to reach Judge Swayne, eliminating assassination, except to find flaws in his official behavior, and they probed far and deep for the flaws.

Way Open for Political Enemies.

It seems somewhat unfortunate that a scheme to unseat a federal judge which was born of revenge should have resulted so favorably to his political enemies. But facts were brought out which placed Judge Swayne in a very unenviable light. There was no evidence of vulgar, coarse corruption in his conduct, but it was shown that he had done things or had failed to do things not in compliance with the law which he was sworn to enforce. The law requires that a judge shall be a resident of the district over which he presides. Judge Swayne contented himself with writing his name on a hotel register as a resident of a town of his district, but made no effort to establish a legal residence there.

District judges are allowed by law traveling expenses to the amount of $10 a day. Judge Swayne collected $10 a day, but did not spend that much. It has been shown that this is the custom many other district judges have followed for years, with no objection interposed by the government's accounting officers. This, it is explained, does not justify Judge Swayne. It was shown that the judge accepted favors from railroads for which he had appointed receivers, these favors taking the form of private cars for pleasure trips. The view taken of this by a number of congressmen was that it was a very foolish thing for a judge to do, an act in bad taste, but with nothing to show that Judge Swayne had been guilty of any judicial immorality. There are other charges, but these were the ones to which the house addressed itself principally.

Broke Away from Party Lines.

It was the discussion of these charges that caused such a shift of opinion among the members of the house, for they no longer looked upon the case as one of partisanship, but considered it from their consciences. The fact that this investigation of Judge Swayne's official conduct was initiated by a spirit of revenge did not have any substantial bearing upon the facts produced by the investigation. It did not in any degree lessen the responsibilities of Judge Swayne and that is why during this debate the country has witnessed the usual battle lines in the house re-formed, with men who ordinarily vote together in this instance on opposing sides. Each member felt that he was bound by his oath to vote as his conscience dictated. The remark of one member of the Pennsylvania delegation, a man who usually only asks the leaders to point the way, is indicative of the sentiment that prevailed throughout the house. He said:

"I don't like to vote against Swayne but I will have to do it. The fact is I am not at all satisfied that Judge Swayne should be impeached. To be sure he did some things that he should not have done, foolish and silly things for a man in his position to do. But he has been sufficiently punished already for these offenses by the notoriety he has had over this case. What influences me is that they have not yet shown where Judge Swayne committed a vicious or corrupt act. Until I am convinced that he is a dishonest and corrupt judge, I will vote against his impeachment," and he did.

Senate May Be Lenient.

The articles of impeachment adopted yesterday amount to the indictment of a grand jury, the senate is the jury that finally passes upon the case. It is argued by some that the narrow margin by which the articles of impeachment were adopted is an indication that Judge Swayne will be acquitted when his case is tried by the senate, with the chief justice of the supreme court presiding. This, however, is a very optimistic view of the situation. There seems to be little doubt that the managers of the trial on the part of the house will be able to show a technical violation of the law, constituting "high crimes and misdemeanors."

This being the case conviction or acquittal will depend upon the view that the senators take of those technical violations of the law and the ethics of the judiciary. If they hold Judge Swayne to the letter of the law and to the highest standard of conduct, they will probably vote to remove him from office. But if they are disposed to be lenient with technicalities, in the absence of evidence of corruption, he may be acquitted. The senate's probable course in any affair is too uncertain to trace in advance.

IT IS TO SMILE.

Wife—Didn't you find my Christmas cigars any good, dear? I notice you have only smoked one.

Husband—Dear me, is that possible! Why, you know the saying: "A good thing needs no puffing."—Brooklyn Life.

"I hear you've been suffering all day with a sick headache."

"No, indeed."

"Haven't you had a headache, then?"

"Yes, but it isn't sick; it's extremely vicious."—Philadelphia Press.

The teacher who taught him to play
Said, "Now, my young man, this just goes
To paddle your own
Canoe all alone."
When any big ruffian blows.

—Chicago Record-Herald.

CHARTERED CLUBS TO GET A SHOCK

District Attorney Stewart Will Have Allegheny Club Owners Explain Business in Court.

MASS OF EVIDENCE SECURED

Managers of so-called chartered clubs in Allegheny, where little or no regard is paid to the state liquor laws, are to have an opportunity to tell the district attorney something about their business.

This is one phase of the graft investigation to which no attention has been paid by anyone but the district attorney and his assistants. No hint has been given, heretofore, that the attorneys had any intention of inquiring into the business of clubs that hang charters on the wall behind their bars, and their operators have been feeling secure.

Evidently District Attorney Stewart and the attorneys assisting him have prepared for a rigid investigation into the secrets of Allegheny club life. Charters are not to be considered obstacles that will prevent Maj. Stewart from having club owners or managers taken into court to answer queries concerning infractions of the state liquor laws. Charters are not regarded as giving immunity from prosecution where violations of the statutes can be proved, according to the interpretation of law put upon it by Messrs. Stewart, Marron and Haymaker.

Many Detectives at Work.

Agent Ira Berry of the Anti-Saloon league has had a quiet but effective part in the investigation. The operatives in his service have for some time been in the employ of the county authorities, many of whom are residents of distant cities. These have been particularly useful in probing into the affairs of chartered clubs, and clubs that had no charter except the silent assurance that they had "protection" from the city authorities.

For weeks past these men have spent their days and nights about the hundreds of clubs on the North Side. For the number and popularity of its clubs Allegheny is famous throughout the country. This is accounted for by the large numbers of Germans in the city, especially in that portion of the city east of Federal street. The custom of maintaining clubs is said to have been brought to what is known as "Dutchtown," when Allegheny was a mere village, by the Germans who settled there. It is a fatherland custom, and for years German singing societies and German clubs flourished together. The custom, however, for a long time has not been confined to the German element.

No Trouble in German Clubs.

The latter still have their clubs and singing societies that are run in a manner against which no complaint can be made. It is not such organizations as these that will be disturbed by the district attorney, but the clubs that are really speakeasies, run by men who make a living by selling liquor without a license, and who add to their sins by running gambling games.

The assertion has been made by all of them when any question as to their legality was raised, that only members were permitted to enter them. This restriction, it has been said, has prevented any infraction of the laws, and under this cover the managers of clubs have hidden their operations. The force of detectives that have been working in Allegheny have gathered voluminous evidence to prove that the membership claim is nothing but a farce, and that liquor has been sold indiscriminately to all who had the money to pay for it.

The out-of-town detectives who were not even on speaking terms with anyone in Allegheny have gone into these clubs innumerable times, bought liquor and played games that were run "on the quiet." No questions were asked them in most of these places, and as long as they spent their money they were "good fellows" and welcome to return any time they desired.

Membership Easy to Obtain.

In several instances they were told that only "key members" could buy drinks. In variably a $1 bill put them in possession of a key, and although their names, or possible associations, were utterly unknown to the club owners, the detectives were made full-fledged members of the clubs and were accorded all privileges.

This work was completed last week, and the bulk of the evidence needed by the district attorney was secured. Then the making of informations began and the big sensation on Monday was sprung. In every case where the detectives looked into clubs, copies of the leases were secured, so the names of the owners and the renters are known to the district attorney. This will prevent any attempt at denial or evasion. The move against the clubs will probably cause as big a sensation as any that has been offered the public so far, as the club habit extends from one end of Allegheny to the other, and the aggregate membership of these organizations runs into the thousands.

The story published yesterday to the effect that a large number of warrants issued on Monday had not been served and no returns made on them is ignored by District Attorney Stewart as absurd.

Nearly All Warrants Served.

According to the statement made on Monday by Attorney John Marron, 100 warrants were issued. Many more informations were prepared, but are still in the hands of Marron. Warrants on these will be issued later. As two or more charges were made against each person for whom a warrant was sent out on Monday, the number of persons sought was, approximately, 50. Alderman Toole said yesterday that already 47 arrests had been made, and his statement is verified by his books. This represents between 90 and 94 informations out of 100 issued. There are six warrants still in the hands of Constable Joyce of Alderman Toole's office, and these will be served whenever it is possible. When this is done the first batch of informations will have been disposed of.

On account of the absence from the city yesterday of Attorneys John Marron and John C. Haymaker, nothing new was done in the Allegheny graft cases. The hearings of the women and gamblers arrested on Monday, that were to have been held in the afternoon at Alderman Toole's office, were postponed until Saturday afternoon. The women who were summoned appeared and renewed their bail bonds. The hearing of Superintendent M. H. Campbell of the Allegheny police, scheduled for this afternoon, may have to be postponed, as Mr. Marron may not be able to get back from Uniontown until tonight.

No Investigation in Pittsburgh.

It is not likely there will be a graft investigation in Pittsburgh. Yesterday Assistant District Attorney Robb had a conference with Director Moore of the department of public safety and Superintendent Wallace of the bureau of police. Mr. Robb assured Director Moore that while the conditions of Allegheny were found to be deplorable, the Pittsburgh police force was free from similar criticism. The conference lasted but a few minutes.

It is thought the private detectives employed by the district attorney have secured evidence against a chartered club in this city which has been conducted as a gambling house. Director Moore refused to discuss the matter, but said no privileges were being handed out by police officials or politicians.

"The district attorney would be badly disappointed if he came to McKeesport, hunting for any $60,000 graft," said Mayor Falkenstein yesterday in answer to questions concerning the rumor that McKeesport was to be included in the vice crusade started by District Attorney Stewart. "I would be willing to split up with any one who would show me that much money under the present administration, as the city was never in better condition, morally, than at the present time."

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WYMAN GIVES TIP TO THE PAYROLL

Orders Issued in Second Ward to Work for Defeat of Kimberlin and Ford.

STATEMENT OF F. J. TORRANCE

The Allegheny administration has knocked in the head of the campaign barrel and from now until election day the Wyman leaders will flood the wards, where contests are sharp, with the money wrung from the long-suffering payroll.

The administration managers got busy yesterday. Their most important acts were to open the barrel and send out orders to the payroll in the big Second ward to use every trick to defeat Councilmen William A. Ford and William E. Kimberlin. This latter action is the result of a number of meetings. At first Ford and Kimberlin were parties to these conferences, but since they refused to go into a fight against Francis J. Torrance they are no longer friends of Wyman and his lieutenants.

The orders the payroll got were to "plug against Ford and Kimberlin." In other words, these two councilmen, who have done more for the administration perhaps than any other two since Wyman took office, are to be the victims of partisan spite. Because they went into the Republican suggestion meeting and permitted their names to go on the Republican ticket, they are to be crushed and sent into political oblivion, if the administration forces can accomplish it.

Story of the Break.

The story of the strained relations and final break between Mayor Wyman and Ford and Kimberlin leaked out yesterday. A politician who has attended all the recent conferences that Wyman has held, last night gave the details of the bitter dispute, that has ended in the declaration of war.

Some months ago Ford was picked as the man to run against Torrance for select council in the Second ward. For a time he felt in with the idea, and the payroll started early to work for him. Kimberlin, who is strong in the ward, was to manage Ford's campaign. Then there was a change of mind and Ford and Kimberlin had a conference with Mr. Torrance. At that meeting Mr. Ford admitted that with unlimited money and the payroll support he knew he could not defeat Torrance. Mayor Wyman could not be persuaded of this, and pledged Ford that $17,000 and every other influence known in politics on the North Side would be used to put Mr. Torrance in the "has-been" class. Ford refused to do as Wyman wished and Kimberlin stuck to Ford.

Wyman called in Delinquent Tax Collector Harry M. Davidson, who is a factor in the Second ward, and it was decided that punitive measures would be adopted to teach Ford and Kimberlin a lesson. Hence the orders that went out yesterday.

Mr. Torrance was asked last night to tell what he knew of the feud between Ford and Kimberlin and Wyman. He said:

"I met Messrs. Ford and Kimberlin some days ago and we talked over the political situation. They asked me if they could get on the Republican ticket in the Second, and I told them that they, or any one else who could qualify as a Republican, could get on the ticket. I told Mr. Ford that there would be no opposition to his name appearing on the Republican ticket as a candidate for select council against me. That is the only dealings I had with them, and I knew nothing more of their intentions until their names were suggested at our meeting. I have been told today about the orders that have been given to the payroll."

"Have you been informed that the administration offered Ford $17,000 to spend in his proposed fight against you for select council?"

Glad the Voters Know It.

"Yes, I heard that, too. I am glad the voters in the Second ward are to hear of the fight that is to be made against Ford and Kimberlin, for I want to see everyone in the fight in our ward get a square deal."

There was a meeting in Mayor Wyman's office yesterday morning and the administration ticket in the Third ward was decided upon. The payroll got orders to work for Messrs. Billinger, Ross, Weis, Wettach and Stahl. These are candidates on the Republican ticket, but with the exception of Billinger all have been with the Citizens party during the past three years. Wyman hopes to control these men if they are elected to councils. It was in the Third that the campaign fund was first seen. Workers for the administration went through the ward yesterday with rolls, and between now and tomorrow night the ward is to see more money than has been distributed there since the famous Simon-Andrews and Knopp-Neeb fight for the legislature several years ago. The administration ticket in the Second ward is to be decided upon at a meeting tomorrow in Mayor Wyman's office, and will be made public in The Gazette tomorrow.

ELLIOTT SUCCEEDS DODD AS STANDARD SOLICITOR

Latter Retires from Active Duties—His Son Is to Assist His Successor.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—S. C. T. Dodd, who has been the Standard Oil Company's general solicitor almost from its organization, has retired. He has been succeeded by M. F. Elliott, formerly of Bradford, Pa., who has been associated with Mr. Dodd in recent years as counsel for the Standard Oil Company.

"Yes, I handed in my resignation, to take effect on January 1," said Mr. Dodd this afternoon. "Mr. Elliott is now general solicitor, and my son, Lee W. Dodd, is assistant attorney. I've been with the company in New York for 34 years, and was with it about six years out in the oil regions before that. My relations with the company have always been pleasant, and I resigned my active duties on account of ill-health. I shall continue to be with the company as its counsel. Mr. Elliott, like myself, is a native of Pennsylvania. He has been with the company about 15 years, most of the time in this city. Before coming here he was a well known lawyer of Pennsylvania, and he sat as a member of congress through several sessions."

SEEKING WARMER CLIMES.

Pittsburgh People En Route to California, Mexico and the West Indies.

BOSTON, Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Two great trainloads of winter tourists left Boston today, bound for Southern California and Mexico, over the Baltimore & Ohio road. Among those from Pennsylvania were the following Pittsburgh people: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McKenna, Mrs. A. Blickle, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Reineman, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ruschenberg.

The steamer Halifax sailed for the West Indies this afternoon with a big party of excursionists, among them being G. B. Robinson and Mrs. Schlernitzauer of Pittsburgh.

ORPHANS FAIL IN FUSION PLANS

Fall Out With Republicans in One Ward and Democrats in Another.

EMILE SPARR WINS CONTEST

Two fusion movements in which the Orphans were concerned fell through last night, and as a result the Orphans in the Fourteenth ward have effected a union on ward tickets with the Citizens and Democrats, while the Orphans in the Sixth ward will either unite with the Republicans or run an exclusively Orphan ticket. In the Fourteenth the Republicans accuse the Orphans of bad faith, while in the Sixth the Orphans charge the Citizens and Democrats with refusal to divide the offices fairly.

The Orphans of the Fourteenth have taken two of the Republican candidates, who are Orphans, and put them on the fusion ticket agreed upon by Orphans, Democrats and Citizens; the two Republicans have been dropped from the Republican ticket and a committee is now engaged in filling the vacancies. The bad faith charged against the Orphans consists in their having gone into a fusion movement with the Democrats and Citizens, although, the Republicans say, they had promised not to do so until every hope of fusion with the Republicans had to be abandoned.

When the fusion agreement with Orphans and Republicans was first made the Republicans accepted the two Orphan candidates for school director, A. C. Shaw and Robert Thompson. The Republicans also said they would try to have W. P. Getty, a Republican member of the school board, placed on the Republican ticket, and the Orphans were satisfied. There were other Republican candidates, however, besides Getty, and these men said they would insist upon having a primary election unless Getty was withdrawn and James Kane substituted. The Republican committee finally, because of the pressure, withdrew Getty and proposed Kane to the Orphans, but the latter refused to accept him, practically insisting on naming all the candidates for school director.

Agreed Upon Ticket.

Last night the Orphans, Democrats and Citizens met in the office of W. J. Moore, the Orphan ward chairman, and agreed upon this ticket: Thompson, Shaw and Getty, for school directors; George A. Grier for alderman, W. G. Mahaffey for ward assessor and B. F. Jones for constable, all the men named being Orphans. It was agreed that the district offices should be equally divided between Citizens, Democrats and Orphans. Thompson and Shaw accepted the nomination, and therefore, under a rule of the Republican ward committee, prohibiting any Republican candidate from accepting an indorsement from another political body unless the entire Republican ticket were indorsed, they were dropped off the Republican ticket.

Last night the Republican committee met in the C. L. Magee Republican club house and proceeded to fill the vacancies. Several names were suggested and the committee will see them today.

The Citizens and Democrats of the Sixth ward did not spend much time in discussing the makeup of the proposed ticket with the Orphans. Dr. J. P. Shaw, Martin McTighe, John A. Martin and the rest of the Orphans committee were informed that they could name the candidate for constable and no others. The Orphans were indignant, as they wanted to name the school directors, and finally withdrew. They now hope to fuse with the Republicans.

Fusion in Twenty-Third Ward.

The Democrats, Citizens and Orphans of the Twenty-third ward, Hazelwood, have effected fusion on their ward ticket. The Citizens are a small factor in the ward, the Orphans having polled, after the regular Republicans, the next largest vote in the ward at the last election. The Republicans are confident that they can defeat the entire union of these elements. The fusion ticket is as follows: Alderman, Frank Beatty, Democrat; school director, William Cox and John Forrest, Orphans; constable, Martin Flatley, Democrat; assessor, E. D. Barkley, Orphan. The nominations were made by a fusion committee of 36, over which W. S. Haynes presided.

The contest for the Republican nomination for alderman in the Thirteenth ward was settled yesterday in favor of Emile Sparr, against J. William Neff and William T. McClelland, who were Sparr's rivals for the nomination at the Republican primaries on Saturday. There was no objection to the legality of the nomination of the candidates for other offices at the primary.

Clean Majority for Sparr.

The decision was made by the committee appointed by City Chairman Max C. Leslie, consisting of William M. Benham, W. A. Larimer and James M. Clark. On Wednesday the committee heard the testimony of the contestants and yesterday that of the respondents. Neff and McClelland disputed the vote only in one district, the Second. Alderman Sparr's office was the regular polling place, at which 141 votes were cast, but the contestants opened another polling place in McClelland's house, adjoining Sparr's office, and 101 votes were cast there. The committee decided that the votes at both polling places should be counted. Sparr's majority was so large that if all the votes cast at both polling places were counted for either of the contestants Sparr would still be the victor. The evidence showed that three known Democrats voted in the district, as well as one Republican who had lived in the district only two weeks, but there was no evidence to show for whom they voted.

The Democratic executive committee met at headquarters yesterday and was called to order by George W. Guthrie, the city chairman. W. J. Brennen was elected chairman of the committee. He and Mr. Guthrie were authorized to appoint an auxiliary committee in every ward. Secretary B. J. H. Carnegie was instructed to notify all ward chairmen that next Tuesday will be the last day for filing nomination certificates. These papers will be passed upon by James A. Clark and Attorney James A. Wakefield before they are filed with the county commissioners. The executive committee will meet again tomorrow at 2 p. m. in conjunction with the finance committee.

Democrats Get the Plums.

The Democrats and Citizens of the Twenty-seventh ward agreed on a fusion ticket last night. A meeting of the Citizens was held in the Bane school, at which a committee was appointed to meet a Democratic committee named last week. These committees agreed on Louis J. Getzheizen, a Democrat, and the incumbent, for alderman; Andrew Voelker, Democrat, for constable; Frank Caldwell, Democrat, and Dr. J. E. Gould, Citizen, for school directors, and Joseph Bickert, Citizen, for assessor.

A joint committee of the Eleventh ward Citizens and Democrats met at the Center avenue police station and the following ticket was agreed upon: School directors, Dr. H. M. Stevenson, Citizen, and Michael Purtell, Democrat; constable, Abraham Goldstein, and assessor, Charles Mansion.

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CLAIM TO HAVE A PRIOR RIGHT

Pittsburgh Railways Co. Has Franchises on Some Streets Wanted by New Lines.

BACKING IS NOT YET SHOWN

Although it is claimed that the men named as directors of the Marshall avenue and Watson street railway companies, which seek franchises covering scores of Allegheny streets, are the financial backers of the enterprise, there was a general disposition yesterday to give the credit for this to more powerful financiers.

The rumored connection of R. C. Hall, the Pittsburgh broker, with the plans, was dissipated by positive denials from William Kaufman, Esq., the president of the two new companies, and by Mr. Hall himself.

The Mellons were mentioned yesterday as likely to be connected with an enterprise of this character, but there was no proof of the connection.

The Pittsburgh Railways Company is taking no part at present in the matter, according to a statement by President J. D. Callery.

"I have given the subject very little attention," said Mr. Callery yesterday. "From the list of streets which the new lines would cover, I can see, however, that there are several on which we already have rights which are valid for more than a year to come.

"The plan to extend Montgomery avenue and Park way across the East park of Allegheny is likely to meet with strong opposition. I doubt the city's right to use the property in that way, as it was given for a particular purpose and must be used for that alone.

"Both east of the East park and in the section about Chartiers street the new lines seek franchises on streets to which we have the right. These streets seem to be the most important parts of the route and our rights would prevent them from making necessary connections.

"Even granted that they should go ahead and build these lines, or a part of them, I believe that they would have very little business. The lines are not advantageously located. We are making no move at present."

SCHWAB IS PRESIDENT OF BETHLEHEM COMPANY

He Is Also Chosen Chairman of Its Board of Directors—New Securities Nearly Ready to Issue.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Charles M. Schwab was today elected president of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, which was incorporated several weeks ago, as the successor of the United States Shipbuilding Company. It was announced that these directors had been elected:

Charles M. Schwab, chairman; George R. Sheldon, Thomas F. Ryan, Pliny Fisk, John E. Borne, Oliver Wren, C. Wetmore, Archibald Johnston and Edward McIlvain. The other officers of the company are E. M. McIlvain, vice president; Henry F. Snyder, treasurer; J. A. McGregor, assistant treasurer, and E. H. Jones, comptroller.

The new securities will be issued and ready for delivery in a few days.

WILL DISCUSS THE BILL.

Greater Pittsburgh Measure to Be Scrutinized by Parties Living in City and Contiguous Territory.

The joint Greater Pittsburgh committee of the chamber of commerce and the Merchants and Manufacturers association will meet at 2 p. m. tomorrow in the rooms of the chamber of commerce, Gazette building, when delegates representing trade and commercial bodies of surrounding towns and boroughs will be present. The features of the Greater Pittsburgh bill which the joint committee has prepared will be laid before the visitors. Their objections, if they offer any, will be noted and an endeavor will be made to harmonize all differences and agree upon a bill that will have the approval of the districts contiguous to Pittsburgh.

County Commissioner James Evans yesterday came out in an interview favoring a Greater Pittsburgh that would include McKeesport. Mr. Evans thinks that by consolidating with Pittsburgh, McKeesport would acquire better municipal service, that property would increase in value, and that taxes would be no higher than they are now.

Pneumonia Was Very Busy.

There were 164 deaths in the city last week, as compared with 158 the same week last year. The principal causes were pneumonia, 25; consumption, 17; typhoid fever, 6; diphtheria, 5; heart disease, 10, and violence, 9. During the week there were reported 23 cases of typhoid fever; 13 of scarlet fever, and 12 of diphtheria. Three cases of diphtheria, three of typhoid fever and one of scarlet fever were reported yesterday.

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ALFORD AGAIN WINS IN COURT OF APPEALS

W. H. Donner Must Pay Him $22,586.40 for Consolidation of Steel Companies.

Justice Gray of the United States circuit court of appeals has handed down an opinion affirming the circuit court of the western district of Pennsylvania in the case of W. J. Alford, a citizen of Indiana, against W. H. Donner, former president of the Union Steel Company, which is now owned by the United States Steel Corporation, in which Mr. Alford, who was represented by Attorney J. W. Kinnear of this city, recovered a verdict of $22,586.40 against Mr. Donner on an agreement over the sale of stock.

Alford alleged he met Donner in New York, where they talked over the proposed consolidation of the Union and Sharon steel companies, Alford alleging that Donner agreed that if he (Alford) would use his influence to bring about such a consolidation he would sell Alford 750 shares of the Union Steel Company stock at $175 a share. Alford says he accepted the proposition, and when, a year later, the consolidation took place and the stock was selling at $228 a share, he called upon Donner to fulfill the agreement. Donner denied that the agreement was as stated or that Alford had accepted it, and refused to sell the stock.

Alford brought suit and was given a verdict. Donner appealed the case and again loses by Justice Gray's decision upholding the lower court.

BRISTOW CHANGES OFFICES.

Retires as Fourth Assistant Postmaster General to Accept Special Commission.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Joseph L. Bristow retired from that office today. He received the subordinate officials and employes of his bureau and bade them good-by. He conferred with Secretary Taft regarding his new duties as special commissioner to investigate the rate conditions in connection with the Panama company, and received some of his instructions for the performance of that work.

Chief Clerk Charles A. Conrad will be acting fourth assistant postmaster general until the appointment of a permanent successor.

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ENGLAND PLANS REAL REFORM

Communicating With Powers to Place Macedonia Under Christian Governor-General.

MEANWHILE TURKEY ARMS

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

LONDON, Jan. 19.—The British foreign office is convinced that the Austro-Russian reform measures decided upon for Macedonia are a hopeless failure and is communicating with the powers interested in the near eastern question with the view of obtaining an expression of the extent to which they are willing to go to secure more extensive and more real reforms and probably will lay before parliament very early in the session a sweeping project for which Foreign Secretary Lansdowne will insure success.

It is expected that if Lord Lansdowne receives sufficient support from the powers he will renew the suggestion offered a year ago to place Macedonia under the control of a Christian governor general not responsible to the sultan, but to the powers. Up to the present Italy alone has signified her willingness to co-operate with Great Britain in demanding more effectual methods. It is understood that the French government, though inclined to side with effectual reforms, is not willing to disturb the existing state of the Balkans, hoping that the summer will pass without a serious conflict. At the same time French and German financiers are arranging to supply Turkey with a loan of $25,000,000, the largest part of which will be devoted to fitting out the Turkish army with new batteries of quick firing guns, orders for which have been placed with French and German manufacturers. Similar orders recently have been placed by Bulgaria.

It is not likely that Austria and Russia, which refused to consent to Great Britain's original proposition for the appointment of a Christian governor general, will now agree to it and it is said that Germany probably will maintain a friendly attitude toward Turkey.

The British consul general in Macedonia stated recently that the Macedonians construe the attitude of Austria and Russia as plainly indicating their belief that continuance of unrest will ultimately necessitate joint interference, resulting in their obtaining controlling influence in the Balkans and possibly the acquisition of territory on the Mediterranean seaboard.

HAS NO SYMPATHY WITH TINKERS OF THE TARIFF

American Protective League Urges That Schedules Be Let Alone, and Supports Speaker Cannon.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—The attitude of Speaker Cannon toward tariff revision was indorsed today by the American Protective Tariff league. A resolution also was adopted urging that the tariff be let alone "until such time as it shall have been clearly demonstrated by general experience and practical knowledge that changes in the schedules will be productive of a degree of benefit to the whole country that shall outweigh the disadvantages and the injuries resulting from tariff revision."

The following officers were elected: Charles A. Moore, president; August V. Payne, first vice president; Joseph E. Thropp, second vice president; Wilbur F. Wakeman, treasurer and general secretary. Members of the executive committee, William Barbour, chairman, New Jersey; Frank W. Cheney, Connecticut; Franklin Murphy, New Jersey; David L. Einstein, New York, and William F. Draper, Massachusetts. Members of the board of managers to serve four years, Calvin Wells, Pennsylvania; William Whitman of Massachusetts; D. M. Ferry, Michigan; A. J. Cordier, New York, and Homer Laughlin, California.

TRYING TO PREVENT STRIKE.

Street Railway Union Leaders Hold Conference With Traction Company Officials.

WILKESBARRE, Jan. 19.—President Mahon and Rezin Orr, the treasurer of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employes, conferred with President Rigg and General Manager Wright of the Wilkesbarre and Wyoming Valley Traction Company this afternoon in an effort to get some concessions from the company so as to prevent a strike.

It was finally agreed that the matter be laid before a meeting of the directors of the company in Philadelphia Monday. On Tuesday another conference will be held between officials of the traction company and a committee of employes. During that time the company is pledged to make no move.

WEST PITTSBURGH LOOTED BY BAND OF THIEVES

Complaint Was Made to District Attorney Stewart Yesterday Morning That the Borough of West Pittsburgh Has Been at the Mercy of a Band of Thieves for Several Weeks. Charles L. Jennings of Montclair street reported that upon return to his home with his family early yesterday morning he found the house looted and considerable jewelry taken. The homes of Henry Klautzbaugh and Henry Petric were recently ransacked and the majority of residents have suffered loss by theft during the past few weeks.

MR. LODGE EULOGIZED LATE SENATOR HOAR

BOSTON, Jan. 19.—The tribute of the legislature of Massachusetts to the memory of the late United States senator, George Frisbee Hoar, was formally paid today. Before a joint convention of the senate and house and in the presence of Gov. Douglas, Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, for many years colleague of Senator Hoar, delivered a long and eloquent address on the life and public services of his distinguished associate.

"Babes in Toyland."

There are over 100 people in the cast of "Babes in Toyland," which is to be seen at the Nixon theater next week. "Babes in Toyland" is a musical extravaganza, the book and lyrics of which are by Glen MacDonough, with music by Victor Herbert, and has been staged under the personal direction of Julian Mitchell.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Clark Wherry	Pitcairn
Ida B. Haire	Pitcairn
George E. Nevergold	Hites
Olive B. Davis	Hites
James R. Duncan	Blythesdale
Ada Burkholder	McKeesport
William Grubbs	DeHaven
Margaret Waller	Pittsburgh
John C. Bendall	Homestead
Emma C. Bossert	Homestead
Percy Fink	Pittsburgh
Ada Sanders	Pittsburgh
Arthur G. Smith	Turtle Creek
Sara B. Strathern	Turtle Creek
William Taylor	Pittsburgh
Elsie Williams	Pittsburgh
Charles Bossecker	Canonsburg
Anna Kovacs	Allegheny
William Kinner	Coraopolis
Sarah Johnson	Coraopolis
John Schaffer	Pittsburgh
Mary Eckie	Pittsburgh
Samuel S. Harris	Pittsburgh
Annie Hirsch	Pittsburgh
Henry J. Rohrkaste	Pittsburgh
Rosa Palmer	Ravenswood, W. Va.
E. P. Stewart	Steubenville, O.
Tusucida Rottkay	Pittsburgh
Harry A. Burson	Allegheny
Rebecca A. Armstrong	Allegheny
Virgie M. Matlock	Pittsburgh
Emma Clark	Pittsburgh
William H. Shields	Pittsburgh
Jessie Pryor	Pittsburgh
Arthur E. Meyers	Monessen
Bertha M. Good	Altoona
Robert A. Phillips	Pittsburgh
Ida M. B. Hartlers	Pittsburgh
John Gallagher	Pittsburgh
Bridget Gallagher	Pittsburgh

M'KENDRY PLACED IN BEAVER JAIL

Detectives Charge Lance Guard With Murder for Killing Arthur Harris.

AGED TRIO DECIDE TO MOVE

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

BEAVER, Jan. 19.—William McKendry, who shot Arthur Harris on suspicion that he was attempting to rob the Lance family, whom he was guarding, was arrested today in the office of his attorney here, charged with murder by County Detectives B. Lazurus and James McCain. He was taken before Justice of the Peace Irons in Monaca, pleaded not guilty and was placed in jail here. The detectives claim McKendry shot too soon and was not justified in killing Harris, as he could have captured the boy. McKendry told the officers that Harris was wearing the false mustach when shot.

Abram Lance, who was with McKendry when the latter was arrested, said he told McKendry, when he saw Harris outside the house, that he was one of the robbers. They were afraid to try to capture him, said he. "He had been too frisky before. The time they tied us and burned our feet he shot past my head and into the floor. Then I told him where the $550 was. After that he again burned my feet."

He declared Harris wore the false mustach, and that McKendry made no effort to catch the robbers the previous time, as he was at the barn and thought they were neighbors. He said his sister and brother were going to move, as neighbors had said they would all be killed.

INSISTED ON INCLUDING OHIO RIVER IMPROVEMENT

Pittsburghers Engage in Spirited Debate Before the National Board of Trade Convention.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—After a spirited fight led by George H. Anderson and Dr. W. J. Holland of Pittsburgh, the Ohio river interests today succeeded in securing the adoption of a resolution, calling upon congress to make provisions for the early completion of the improvement of the Ohio river by the national board of trade. The report of the committee on water highways was presented by James W. Porch of New Orleans. Its language was not sufficiently specific in regard to the Ohio, and at the suggestion of Mr. Anderson it was re-committed, and strong Ohio river resolutions were incorporated.

During the discussion Secretary Tucker read a letter from Chairman Burton of the house rivers and harbors committee, in which Mr. Burton said he thought it inadvisable for the national board of trade to indorse any particular project. This somewhat incensed the Pittsburgh and Cincinnati delegates and Mr. Anderson declared that he did not think that Mr. Burton should attempt to dictate the policy of the board.

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BURTON WILL SPEAK AT PITTSBURGH BANQUET

Distinguished Congressman Accepts an Invitation of the Board of Trade Committee.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—As one of the speakers at the Pittsburgh board of trade banquet, Representative T. E. Burton, chairman of the river and harbor committee, was secured to day. Representative Dalzell introduced the Pittsburgh committee, consisting of Prof. J. P. Stephens, James B. Youngson, Homer Castle and a number of other members of the commercial organization to Mr. Burton. They prevailed upon him to accept the invitation and the date was fixed for March 7.

The committee had in mind several other speakers including Vice President-elect Fairbanks and Senator Beveridge of Indiana, but at the suggestion of Mr. Dalzell Representative Burton was selected.

Mr. Burton, aside from his prominence as chairman of the river and harbor committee, is regarded as one of the most classical scholars in the house. He has refused the presidency of two large western universities.

L. W. STRAYER.

DINNER TO DIPLOMATS.

Foreign Representatives Entertained at the White House by President and Mrs. Roosevelt.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—President and Mrs. Roosevelt entertained the diplomatic corps at dinner at the White House tonight. Covers were laid for more than 60 persons. The golden table service was used. Conspicuous among the floral pieces was a long mirror plateau in the center of the table filled with Brazilian orchids, ferns and lilies of the valley.

A section of the Marine band played during the evening. President Roosevelt took the Baroness Mayor Des Planches, the wife of the Italian ambassador, to dinner, while Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, escorted Mrs. Roosevelt.

Arrivals at Pittsburgh Hotels.

Duquesne—W. C. Taylor, Sharon; J. Schoonhead, Greensburg; J. W. King, Kittanning.

Colonial—L. Lowenstein, Brownsville; H. E. Jones, Canton; J. K. Conn, Point Marion; C. E. Cummings, East Brady; R. E. Conant, Erie.

Lincoln—John Hutton, New Castle; J. J. Pierce, Sharpsville.

Seventh Avenue—C. W. Zorn, Akron; G. Mellinger, Reynoldsville; G. Shriver, Massillon; J. Hilden, Youngstown; E. G. Henderson, Washington.

Henry—J. W. Dillon, Titusville; W. J. Graden, Tidioute; J. H. Fink, Punxsutawney; L. Newman, New Castle.

Monongahela House—R. M. Walls, Greensville; W. McElroy, Bradford; J. M. Francis, Clarksburg; G. E. Wilkinson, Wheeling.

Griswold—T. E. Long, Franklin; H. E. Pugh, Warren; W. H. Smith, Elkins.

Antler—S. W. Meyers, Latrobe; S. R. Jonas, New Castle.

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THE TALBOT MATTER IS FINALLY DISPOSED OF

Rev. Dr. Bodine Emphatically Declares the Church Board Will Not Again Be Called Together.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 19.—The Rev. Dr. W. B. Bodine, who was chairman of the board of inquiry appointed by Bishop Tuttle of St. Louis to investigate the charges made by Dr. I. N. W. Irvine against Bishop Talbot, said today, in reference to the statement published in the Church Standard that the board was illegally dissolved:

"I have no intention of calling the board together. I have not read Bishop Tuttle's statement, but regardless of what he may have said there will be no further meeting of the board. In order to have the church investigate the charges against Bishop Talbot it will be necessary for Dr. Irvine and his friends to prepare and present to Bishop Tuttle a new presentment. So far as I know nothing of the kind has been done or is even contemplated."

WILKESBARRE, PA., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Bishop Talbot, who spent the night in this city, left for his home this morning, and later his attorney, H. A. Fuller, said the bishop had no intention of making public a statement of his side of the controversy with the Rev. Dr. Irvine.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—The second presentment to be brought against Bishop Ethelbert Talbot is now being prepared as the result of a conference held in this city by three lawyers and the Rev. Dr. Ingram W. Irvine. It is said that several of the original presenters who live in Philadelphia attended the meeting, as well as some of those who live in New York. Dr. Irvine arrived in New York yesterday and sought out Herbert Noble, counsel in the first case, who, it is understood, will handle the second.

The Colorado in Commission.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 19.—The new armored cruiser Colorado was placed in commission today. The cruiser is commanded by Capt. Duncan Kennedy.

The Death Roll.

Henry Ommert.

Henry Ommert, aged 60, died yesterday morning at 3:40 o'clock at the family residence, 4618 Penn avenue. He was born at Walroth Kreis Schlichtern, Germany, and came to this country when 18 years of age, settling in Pittsburgh. For 20 years he was a resident of the Tenth ward, where, until the last three years, he conducted a hotel. He was a member of the following societies: F. and A. M., Solomon Lodge No. 231, I. O. O. F., Elias Wildman Lodge, Improved Order of Redmen, Postlac tribe, and Ancient Order of United Workmen, Goethe Lodge No. 56. He was also a member of the First German Evangelical Protestant church. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Margaret Reaffer Ommert, and the following children: John F., Margaret, Mrs. Louis Schlegel, Mrs. William Landon, and a brother, John Ommert of Mt. Washington.

Franklin Berwick.

Franklin Berwick, aged 73, a prominent Grand Army of the Republic man of McKeesport, died in the McKeesport hospital last evening of rheumatism. Mr. Berwick was born in Washington county, and at the outbreak of the war enlisted in the First Pennsylvania Reserve cavalry. Later he enlisted at Louisville in the Second Provisional Pennsylvania cavalry. He served until the close of the war. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Edward Geeting, and a son, William Berwick, both of McKeesport.

Mrs. Louisa R. Zoller.

Mrs. Louisa R. Zoller, aged 78, widow of Dr. Charles Zoller, a former physician of Chester, Pa., died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles A. Ahlborn, 260 Fisk street, Lawrenceville, of apoplexy, yesterday morning. Mrs. Zoller resided with her daughter for the last three years. Three sons and two daughters survive.

Funeral of Frank M. Laughlin.

Funeral services will be held over the remains of Frank M. Laughlin, who died in Denver, Col., on Tuesday at his late home, 810 South Linden avenue, Point Breeze, at 3 p. m. tomorrow. Mr. Laughlin was auditor of the R. & W. Jenkinson Company and secretary of the Country club.

Charles W. Baird.

Charles W. Baird, aged 27, died at his home, 814 Penn avenue, Wilkinsburg, yesterday afternoon of typhoid fever. He was born in Altoona. He is survived by his widow, a daughter, and his mother, Mrs. Mary Baird of Hollidaysburg.

Obituary Notes.

Prof. J. E. George, instructor in political economy at Northwestern university at Evanston, Ill., died yesterday. He had been a sufferer for some time from heart trouble.

William H. Martin of South Strabane township, Westmoreland county, died yesterday, aged 65. He was an extensive land owner, a Republican, a school director for 12 years, and an elder of the Pigeon Creek United Presbyterian church. Mrs. Jones, wife of the Rev. W. A. Jones of the Knoxville Presbyterian church, Pittsburgh, is a daughter.

SCHOENVILLE WORKMEN GET 10 PER CENT RAISE

The management of the Pressed Steel Car Company at McKees Rocks has announced through the foremen of the various departments that beginning with January 1 wages in the plant are raised 10 per cent. Tomorrow the 500 employes will receive the first pay at the new rate.

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BAIRD—At Wilkinsburg, Pa., on Thursday, January 19, 1905, at 3:30 o'clock p. m., at his residence, No. 814 Penn avenue, CHARLES W. BAIRD, son of the late M. K. and Mary Baird of Hollidaysburg, Pa., in his 28th year. Brief services at his late residence, Wilkinsburg, this evening at 8 o'clock. Interment in Presbyterian cemetery, Hollidaysburg, Pa., from his mother's residence, Mulberry street, on Sunday, January 22, at 3 o'clock p. m.

(Altoona papers please copy.)

COLLINS—On Wednesday, January 18, 1905, at 3:15 p. m., CHARLES F. COLLINS, SR., beloved husband of Anna Collins (nee O'Neil), at the family home, 6358 Penn avenue.

Funeral services Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

(Philadelphia papers please copy.)

DUNMEYER—On Tuesday, January 17, 1905, at 5:30 o'clock p. m., at his residence, No. 5178 Woodworth street, HENRY DUNMEYER, in his 61st year.

Funeral on Friday, January 20, at 2 o'clock p. m. Interment private.

FAULK—On Wednesday, January 18, 1905, at 3:30 a. m., CLARE LOUISA, daughter of Louisa Colestock and the late David K. Faulk, in her 25th year.

Funeral services at the family residence, 7129 Eurhare street, Swissvale, Pa., Saturday, January 21, at 2 p. m. Interment private.

HANNA—On Wednesday, January 18, 1905, at noon, SIMPSON E. HANNA, in his 62d year.

Funeral services at his late residence, No. 575 Butler street, Friday, this evening at 8 o'clock. Interment Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

HUCHEL—On Monday, January 16, 1905, at 8:45 p. m., at her residence, Cortland street, Allegheny, Mrs. SOPHIE L. HUCHEL (nee Schlon), in her 67th year.

Funeral from her late residence Friday, January 20, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

HUNKER—On Tuesday, January 17, 1905, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., P. H. HUNKER, in his 82d year.

Funeral from the residence of his son-in-law, William M. Hill, Zephyr street, opposite Mary Sheraden station, Pa., Friday, January 20, at 2 o'clock p. m.

KURTZ—At Wilkinsburg, Pa., on Wednesday, January 18, 1905, at 12:10 o'clock a. m., at his mother's residence, 508 Peebles street, DALE D. KURTZ, in his 27th year.

Funeral services will be held at St. James' Protestant Episcopal church, corner Kelly and Collier streets, Thirty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh, on Saturday, January 21, at 9 o'clock a. m. Interment in Highwood cemetery.

LATSHAW—On Wednesday, January 18, 1905, at 12:40 p. m., LUCY YOUNG, wife of Frank B. Latshaw, aged 49 years.

Funeral services at her late residence, 7807 Reilly street, at 1:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private later.

LAUGHLIN—On Tuesday evening, January 17, 1905, in Denver, Col., FRANK M., son of Erabois B. and Margaret B. Laughlin, in his 34th year.

Funeral services at the late residence, 310 S. Linden avenue, Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment private.

MORRIS—On Wednesday, January 18, 1905, at 1 p. m., JEMIMA, widow of James P. Morris, in her 77th year.

Funeral services at her late residence, 928 Ivy street, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private.

OMMERT—On Thursday, January 19, 1905, at 3:40 a. m., HENRY, husband of Margaret Reaffer Ommert, in his 61st year.

Funeral services on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at his late residence, 5618 Penn avenue, East End. Friends of the family and members of Solomon Lodge No. 231, F. and A. M.; Pontiac Tribe No. 15, I. O. R. M.; Goethe Lodge No. 56, A. O. U. W.; Elias Wellman Lodge 549, I. O. O. F., are respectfully invited to attend.

[Alliance (O.) papers please copy.]

PRITNER—On Wednesday, January 18, 1905, at the residence of her niece, Mrs. A. P. Neale, Sewickley, Pa., MARTHA B. PRITNER, in the 87th year of her age.

Funeral services at the residence of Miss Alice Colwell, Kittanning, Pa., Friday at 2 p. m.

ROSSWOG—On Wednesday morning, January 18, 1905, at 5:45 o'clock, MARY A., wife of Peter J. Rosswog, in her 38th year.

Funeral from the family home, No. 5835 Alder street, East End, on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Solemn high mass at Sacred Heart church, Center avenue, at 9:30 a. m.

[Baltimore (Md.) and New York papers please copy.]

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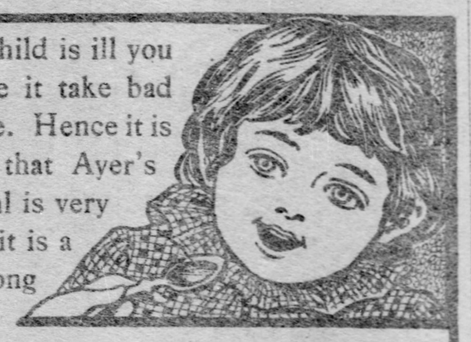

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$5.00 ones, 50 by 106 inches, $2.50
$7.50 one, 48 by 57 inches, $3.50
$8.50 one, 48 by 66 inches, $3.50
$8.50 one, 54 by 82 inches, $3.50
$9.50 one, 58 by 72 inches, $4.50
$12.50 ones, 60 by 78 inches, $6.25
$15.00 one, 58 by 78 inches, $7.50
$15.00 one, 4 yards long, $7.50
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(No. 369.)

AN ORDINANCE—Naming an unnamed fifteen (15) foot alley, Fifth ward, from Pennsylvania avenue to an unnamed ten (10) foot alley, "McClurg Way."

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That an unnamed fifteen (15) foot alley, Fifth ward, from Pennsylvania avenue to an unnamed ten (10) foot alley, be and the same is hereby named "McClurg Way."

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 9th day of January, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 11, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 365.)

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade of Reserve street, Eleventh ward, from Stanton street to Shady avenue.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of Reserve street, Eleventh ward, from Stanton street to Shady avenue, be and the same is hereby established as follows:

Beginning on the center line of Reserve street at the west line of Stanton street, at an elevation of one hundred and fifty and sixty-one one-hundredths (150.61) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of eight and eighty-eight one-hundredths (8.88) feet per hundred for a distance of one hundred and thirty-five and twenty-three one-hundredths (135.23) feet to a point opposite the west line of Tustin street, elevation one hundred and sixty-two and fifty-one one-hundredths (162.51) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of twelve (12) feet per hundred for a distance of one hundred and thirty-three and seventy-seven one-hundredths (133.77) feet to a point opposite the east line of Tustin street, elevation one hundred and eighty-four and twenty-eight one-hundredths (184.28) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of eight and eighty-eight one-hundredths (8.88) feet per hundred for a distance of one hundred and thirty-five and twenty-three one-hundredths (135.23) feet to a point opposite the west line of Tustin street, elevation one hundred and ninety-three and fifty-one one-hundredths (193.51) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of twelve (12) feet per hundred for a distance of one hundred and thirty-three and seventy-seven one-hundredths (133.77) feet to a point opposite the east line of Tustin street, elevation two hundred and seven and twenty-eight one-hundredths (207.28) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of eight and eighty-eight one-hundredths (8.88) feet per hundred for a distance of one hundred and thirty-five and twenty-three one-hundredths (135.23) feet to a point opposite the west line of Tustin street, elevation two hundred and sixteen and fifty-one one-hundredths (216.51) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of twelve (12) feet per hundred for a distance of one hundred and thirty-three and seventy-seven one-hundredths (133.77) feet to a point opposite the east line of Tustin street, elevation two hundred and thirty and twenty-eight one-hundredths (230.28) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of eight and eighty-eight one-hundredths (8.88) feet per hundred for a distance of one hundred and thirty-five and twenty-three one-hundredths (135.23) feet to a point opposite the west line of Tustin street, elevation two hundred and forty-five and fifty-one one-hundredths (245.51) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of twelve (12) feet per hundred for a distance of one hundred and thirty-three and seventy-seven one-hundredths (133.77) feet to a point opposite the east line of Tustin street, elevation two hundred and fifty-nine and twenty-eight one-hundredths (259.28) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of eight and eighty-eight one-hundredths (8.88) feet per hundred for a distance of one hundred and thirty-five and twenty-three one-hundredths (135.23) feet to a point opposite the west line of Tustin street, elevation two hundred and seventy-four and fifty-one one-hundredths (274.51) feet above city datum; thence level for a distance of nineteen and forty-four one-hundredths (19.44) feet to a point opposite the intersection of the north line of Reserve street and the west curb line of Frederick street; thence ascending at a rate of eleven and one-tenth (11.1) feet per hundred for a distance of one hundred and thirty-one and sixty-one one-hundredths (131.61) feet to the east line of Shady avenue, elevation two hundred and twenty-nine and four-tenths (229.4) feet above city datum.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 9th day of January, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 11, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

SAYS PORTO RICO NEEDS NO TROOPS

Resident Commissioner Degeteau Makes Plea in Congress on the Army Bill.

HOUSE AND SENATE ROUTINE

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—The house of representatives today completed consideration of the army appropriation bill and will vote on the measure tomorrow. During the debate Resident Commissioner Degeteau of Porto Rico made his first speech in the house. He praised the United States for its attitude toward his island home. He said he saw no need for the maintenance of the provisional regiment of troops in the island.

In arguing that the necessity for maintaining the regiment did not exist he reviewed the history of his country to show that it had accomplished many reforms, such, for instance, as the abolition of slavery, without disturbance. He referred to the charge that Porto Ricans were hot-headed Spaniards and said the negative was the fact; that if such were the case the people of this country would not have permitted Porto Ricans to "defend that flag." (Pointing to the flag over the speaker's chair). Applause greeted this utterance. Mr. Degeteau in conclusion said:

"We need no American regiment nor any other regiment. We are all peaceful Americans. We have won our American citizenship." Applause followed Mr. Degeteau's conclusion.

The point was made by Mr. Mondell of Wyoming that the regiment was needed on the island as protection from a foreign foe. The amendment striking out the appropriation for Porto Rican regiment was defeated 89 to 47.

Preparing for Impeachment Trial.

Consideration of the statehood bill was continued in the senate today and Mr. Stone spoke for two hours in opposition to it. The bill for the remuneration of American fur sealers who suffered losses because of their suppression also was debated at some length, but no action was taken on it.

In view of the prospect of an early presentation to the senate of the house's articles of impeachment of Judge Swayne, many senators have been engaged today in considering that question. Senator Platt of Connecticut, chairman of the special committee acting for the senate, has taken a leading part in the work. Some senators, especially Messrs. Frye and Hale of Maine, advanced the opinion that the case might be postponed until next session, but after an exhaustive examination of precedents Mr. Platt announced his inability to agree with them. He said he did not believe that out of justice to Judge Swayne the inquiry should be postponed for any length of time after it is brought to the attention of the senate, and he doubted whether the senate could make the postponement. It might be competent, he thought, to defer trial after organizing the senatorial court, but if that course should be decided upon the present congress would terminate, new men would come in and it would be necessary to reorganize the court at the beginning of the next session. For these and other reasons he concluded that there is no other way open than to proceed immediately with consideration of the case. Senator Spooner and other senatorial lawyers concurred in this opinion.

Women Favor Army Canteen.

The president today sent to the senate the nomination of A. G. Stewart of Iowa to be attorney general of Porto Rico; also Capt. Otto Becker to be paymaster in the army with rank of major.

Chairman Hepburn of the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce today named Messrs. Shackleford of Missouri, Lovering of Massachusetts, Esch of Wisconsin, Townsend of Michigan and Adamson of Georgia as a special sub-committee to investigate the Panama railroad.

On behalf of the Woman's Army and Navy league, Mrs. Josephine Kelton, widow of Adjt.-Gen. J. C. Kelton, today presented a petition to the senate committee on military affairs in the interest of the re-establishment of so much of the canteen as prohibits the sale of beer at army posts. The petition was signed by 300 ladies, most of whom are related to officers of the army and navy, including Mrs. Chaffee, Mrs. Schley and Mrs. Sampson.

Mrs. Kelton said the ladies spoke from personal experience as to the beneficial effects of the canteen. "As women we admire the Women's Christian Temperance union," she said, "and we think they are doing a wonderful work in the country at large, but we believe that they do not understand conditions in the army and they are not as capable in this matter as they might be in others." She said that desertions in the army fell off 90 per cent after the establishment of the canteen.

Chairman Hull remarked after she had concluded that there would be no legislation on that subject at this session.

TO BUILD NEW CHURCH.

Oakland Presbyterian Congregation Starts Building Fund With $3,600.

Over $3,600 was raised last night toward the erection of a new place of worship by the congregation of the Oakland Presbyterian church during the celebration of the fifth anniversary of its organization.

An overflow congregation was present when the pastor, the Rev. Charles Beatty, opened the service. Special music by a string orchestra was provided and addresses were made by the Rev. Dr. S. Edward Young, the Rev. John M. Gaston, former pastor of the congregation, and William C. Lilley and A. D. Bigler. Mr. Lilley, who is secretary of the Presbyterian board of missions, was instrumental in organizing the congregation and started the movement toward raising money last night by donating $100. He is an elder and member of the First church.

MAY LOSE HIS ARM.

Man Wonders Around McKeesport With His Limb Broken.

After wandering about the city for two days and one night with his arm broken in two places, Frank Mongan, a railroader at McKeesport, finally sought shelter at the Central police station.

Mongan claims to have fallen down a flight of steps in Sixth avenue and believes that to be the time his arm was broken. Not knowing his condition, however, he drank enough to intoxicate him, and then applied for admission to the McKeesport hospital. The attaches refused to take him in, thinking him merely drunk, and he wandered the streets all night. He finally found his way to the police station, where Dr. D. P. Blose discovered Mongan's real condition. Owing to the exposure and inflammation it may be necessary to amputate the arm.

WATER CHARTERS GIVEN.

New Companies for South End of the County Are Authorized to Do Business.

The charters for the water companies that propose to operate in the southern part of Allegheny county were granted yesterday at Harrisburg. As already announced the incorporators are John Daly, W. J. Horgan, J. F. Torrance, W. H. Murdock and E. D. Cree, all of Pittsburgh.

The titles of these companies are as follows: The Ridge, Ingram, Rosslyn, Carnegie, Panhandle, Eplen, Idlewood, Chartiers, Farwood, Sheraden, Chestnut Ridge, Greentree, Westwood, Union, Lebanon Heights, Scott Township, Beechwood, West Liberty and Oakwood-Crafton.

Another Whipping Post Bill.

BOSTON, Jan. 19.—The whipping post for men who beat their wives, or any other female, is provided for in a bill filed in the state senate today by Senator C. B. Callender of Boston in behalf of Frederick W. Peabody of Boston.

GENTILE WOMEN DEFEND SMOOT

Female Politicans from Utah Testify in the Hearing at Washington.

ONE VOTED FOR THE SENATOR

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—Two prominent Gentile women of Utah, one a member of the legislature that elected Mr. Smoot a senator, were witnesses today in the Smoot inquiry. Both gave Senator Smoot an excellent reputation and testified that they would not vote for a polygamist.

Mrs. Mary G. Coulter of Ogden, a Gentile and the wife of a physician, testified in regard to political affairs. She was a member of the legislature that elected Mr. Smoot senator. She said she went unpledged, but was glad to abide by the result of her party's caucus. But before voting for Mr. Smoot, she said, she ascertained that he was not a polygamist. Speaking of the Mormons in political affairs she said they "sized up" very well with the Gentiles.

One cross-examination Chairman Burrows asked if it would have made any difference in her vote for senator if she had known that a majority of Mr. Smoot's fellow apostles were polygamists. Mrs. Coulter replied that possibly she might have voted for Mr. Smoot, because many Gentiles welcomed the opportunity of showing that their antagonism was not directed against the church, but merely against the people of the church known as polygamists. She said further that she would not vote for a polygamist.

Mrs. W. R. Jones of Salt Lake, who said she went to Utah at 16 years of age, as a bride, and who has been prominently connected with the Liberal and Republican parties in Utah, testified that neither she nor Senator Smoot had joined the Silver Republican party and said that both of them "had too much sense."

On cross-examination the witness said she did not believe a polygamist could be elected to office by either Gentiles or Mormons.

"How about Mr. Roberts?" asked Chairman Burrows.

"That was so long ago I don't know. I was not working for Mr. Roberts, and I am glad you did not permit him to take his seat," she replied.

John W. Hughes of Salt Lake, editor of a weekly paper, testified he had made an investigation into the number of polygamists in Salt Lake city and found that there were only 74 men, nearly all of them old, only two being under 50 years of age.

PARISH IS 50 YEARS OLD.

Calvary Protestant Episcopal Congregation to Observe Semi-Centennial.

The congregation of Calvary Episcopal church will observe the semi-centennial of its organization with special services Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. Sunday morning the Rev. Dr. George Hodges will preach; in the afternoon the choir will present the sacred cantata, "The Vision of St. John," and in the evening the rector, the Rev. Dr. J. H. McIlvaine, will give an historical review of the parish.

Monday evening there will be addresses by former rectors of the parish: The Rt. Rev. Boyd Vincent, D. D., the Rev. Dr. George Hodges, and the Rev. Dr. William B. Maxon. Tuesday evening a reception will be given in the parish house to the former rectors and to the bishop of the diocese, the Rt. Rev. Cortland Whitehead.

COLLEGE MEN BANQUET.

Pittsburgh Alumni of the Phi Kappa Psi Gather Around the Board.

The Pittsburgh Alumni association of the Phi Kappa Psi held a banquet last evening at the Hotel Henry. About 75 were present. The Rev. G. F. Rosenmuller, president, officiated as toastmaster. He introduced J. H. Johnson, who spoke on "Simple Life," Albert Gill on "Social Life," Dr. J. Williams on "The Bards of a Fraternity Man," United States District Attorney James S. Young on "Phi Kappa Psi's of Pittsburgh" and Prof. Glover on "The Old Boys."

A committee was appointed to confer with similar committees of different colleges with a view to holding a joint rally meeting on Founders' day, February 21. It was also decided that the alumni hold a dance shortly after Easter.

WILL SEE "TECH" PLANS.

Committee Will Meet Architect This Afternoon to Criticise His Work.

The committee on technical schools of the Carnegie institute will meet this afternoon when Architect Henry F. Hornbostel will submit the plans for the part of the work that is to be completed this year. Mr. Hornbostel was in the city yesterday at work on the plans, and it is expected that all will be in shape by the time the committee meets.

The approval of these plans is to be followed at once by the request for bids and the award of construction contracts. It is the intention to have the buildings completed in time for the schools to open next October.

PUTTING IT STRONG.

But Doesn't It Look Reasonable?

This may read as though we were putting it a little strong, because it is generally thought by the majority of people that Dyspepsia in its chronic form is incurable or practically so. But we have long since shown that Dyspepsia is curable, nor is it such a difficult matter as at first appears.

The trouble with Dyspeptics is that they are continually dieting, starving themselves or going to the opposite extreme or else deluging the already over burdened stomach with "bitters," "after-dinner pills," etc., which invariably increase the difficulty, even if in some cases they do give a slight temporary relief. Such treatment of the stomach simply makes matters worse. What the stomach wants is a rest. Now how can the stomach become rested, recuperated and at the same time the body nourished and sustained?

This is a great secret and this is also the secret of the uniform success of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. This is a comparatively new remedy but its success and popularity leave no doubt as to its merit.

The Tablets will digest the food anyway, regardless of condition of stomach. The sufferer from Dyspepsia, according to directions, is to eat an abundance of good, wholesome food and use the tablets before and after each meal and the result will be that the food will be digested no matter how bad your Dyspepsia may be, because, as before stated, the tablets will digest the food even if the stomach is wholly inactive. To illustrate our meaning plainly, if you take 1,800 grains of meat, eggs or ordinary food and place it in a temperature of 98 degrees, and put with it one of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets it will digest the meat or eggs almost as perfectly as if the meat was enclosed within the stomach.

The stomach may be ever so weak yet these tablets will perform the work of digestion and the body and brain will be properly nourished and at the same time a radical, lasting cure of Dyspepsia will be made because the much abused stomach will be given, to some extent, a much needed rest. Your druggist will tell you that of all the many remedies advertised to cure Dyspepsia none of them have given so complete and general satisfaction as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and not least in importance in these hard times is the fact that they are also the cheapest and give the most good for the least money.

What To Do For Heart Trouble

I Back Up My Advice With This Remarkable Offer—A Full Dollar's Worth of My Remedy Free to Prove That I Am Right.

I ask no reference, no deposit, no security. There is nothing to promise, nothing to pay—either now or later. To any heart sufferer who has not tried my remedy—Dr. Shoop's Restorative—I will gladly give, free, not a mere sample, but a full dollar bottle.

I am warranted in making this unusual offer because mine is no ordinary remedy. It does not vainly try to stimulate the heart. Such treatments are worse than useless. It goes straight to the cause of all heart trouble—the heart nerves—and strengthens them and vitalizes them and restores them. Then that is the end of heart diseases.

For the heart itself has no more self control than a common sponge. It is made to beat by a tender nerve so tiny that it is scarcely visible to the naked eye. Yet ten thousand times a day this delicate nerve must cause the heart to expand and contract.

The heart is about the size of your clenched fist. Open and close your fist a dozen times, even, and you will see the monstrous labor this little nerve must do.

The heart nerve is only one of the branches of the great sympathetic nervous system. Each branch of this system is so closely allied with the others that weakness or irregularity at any point is apt to spread. Heart trouble frequently arises from Stomach trouble through sympathy, and Kidney trouble may also follow. For each of these organs is operated by a branch of these same sympathetic nerves—the inside nerves.

The bond of sympathy between the nerves that operate the vital organs has a useful purpose, as well. For what will cure weakness in one branch will surely cure weakness in every branch—what will restore one center will surely restore them all.

There is nothing new about this—nothing any physician would dispute. But it remained for Dr. Shoop to apply this knowledge—to put it to practical use. Dr. Shoop's Restorative is the result of a quarter century of endeavor along this very line. It does not dose the organ or deaden the pain—but it does go at once to the nerve—the inside nerve—the power nerve—and builds it up and strengthens it and makes it well.

If you have heart trouble and have never tried my remedy, merely write and ask. I will send you an order on your druggist which he will accept as gladly as he would accept a dollar. He will hand you from his shelves a standard size bottle of my prescription, and he will send the bill to me. This offer is made only to strangers to my remedy. Those who have once used the Restorative do not need this evidence. There are no conditions—no requirements. It is open and frank and fair. It is the supreme test of my limitless belief. All that I ask you to do is to write—write today.

For a free order for Book 1 on Dyspepsia, a full dollar bottle Book 2 on the Heart, you must address Book 3 on the Kidneys, Dr. Shoop, Box 1858, Book 4 for Women, Racine, Wis. State Book 5 for Men, which book you want. Book 6 on Rheumatism.

Mild cases are often cured by a single bottle. For sale at forty thousand drug stores.

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A famous New York Hatter makes

Oetting's Hats

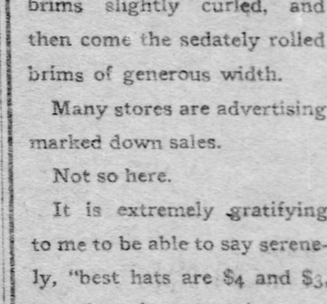

EXHIBIT 4147.

Dame fashion dictates certain general lines which the well-dressed man must follow.

She does not set hard and fast lines—there are variations to suit differing tastes.

For instance, the derbies for spring have narrow, flat brims like the above picture.

Styles like this are most in favor, next are the medium brims slightly curled, and then come the sedately rolled brims of generous width.

Many stores are advertising marked down sales.

Not so here.

It is extremely gratifying to me to be able to say serenely, "best hats are $4 and $3, next best $2.25 and $1.75."

Some hats may be marked a few cents lower than these, but then ours are all new, spick and span spring hats, made up in the exclusive Oetting style.

Fashionable Opera hats, $7, $6 and $5. Silk hats at $6 and $5.

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FIFTH AND WYLIE,

On Court House Hill.

Always Remember the Full Name Laxative Bromo Quinine & H. Grove on every box. 25c

Cures in One Day. Cures in 2 Days

LOOK! LOOK!

Have your windows cleaned by the National Window Cleaning Co., Both 'Phones. 307 Third Ave.

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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 375.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the submission to a vote of the electors of the city of Allegheny the question of increasing the bonded indebtedness of the city of Allegheny by the amount of four hundred twenty thousand ($420,000.00) dollars for the purpose of paying contractors' claims, judgments and assessments against the city for damages and expenses in the improvement of streets and the construction of sewers.

Whereas, The select and common councils of the city of Allegheny deem it for the best interests of the city that its bonded indebtedness shall be increased by the amount of four hundred twenty thousand ($420,000.00) dollars for the purpose of paying contractors' claims, judgments, and assessments against the city for damages and expenses in the improvement of streets and construction of sewers, therefore,

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the question of increasing the bonded indebtedness of the city of Allegheny by the amount of four hundred twenty thousand ($420,000.00) dollars by an issue of bonds bearing interest at the rate of four per centum per annum, the principal thereof payable annually in not less than five years and not more than thirty years from the date of their issue, and for the payment of the principal and interest of which as the same shall mature and become payable, so much of the revenue of the city of Allegheny as may be necessary shall be pledged, for the purpose of paying contractors' claims, judgments and assessments against the city for damages and expenses in the improvement of streets and construction of sewers, at such times, at such places, in such manner and in such amounts as the councils of the city shall determine, shall be submitted to the electors of the city of Allegheny at the municipal election to be held on Tuesday the twenty-first day of February, 1905, in the manner prescribed by and in accordance with the laws of the state of Pennsylvania in such case made and provided.

Sec. 2. That the mayor is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to procure the proper proclamation for said election to be issued, and public notice thereof given according to law, and to provide at the expense of the city of Allegheny any and all ballots or tickets, return sheets or any other papers, materials or things that may be required by law to the proper officers of the city, for the lawful holding of said election, and to cause the same to be held according to law.

The expense thereof to be payable out of appropriation No. 41, contingent fund.

Sec. 3. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 13th day of January, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 16, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

OFFICE OF CITY CLERKS.

City of Allegheny, Pa., Jan. 19, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following ordinance was presented at a meeting of select council of the city of Allegheny, on the 18th day of January, 1905, and was referred to committee on surveys.

LAFAYETTE WILLS,
City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE—Extending Park way through East park to Cedar avenue, and providing for the paving and improving of said extension, and directing the director of the department of public works to prepare plans and specifications, and an estimate of the cost of said improvements.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the city of Allegheny in select and common councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Park way be extended from its present terminus through East park to Cedar avenue. The said extension shall be of the same width and on the same grade and in the same course as Park way.

Sec. 2. That the said extension shall be paved and improved in manner similar to Park way.

Sec. 3. That the director of the department of public works is hereby directed to prepare plans and specifications and make an estimate of the cost of said extension and the paving and improving thereof.

Sec. 4. That any ordinance, or part of ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed.

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AN ORDINANCE—Extending Montgomery avenue through East park to Cedar avenue, and providing for the paving and improving of said extension, and directing the director of the department of public works to prepare plans and specifications, and an estimate of the cost of said improvements.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the city of Allegheny in select and common councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Montgomery avenue be extended from its present terminus through East park to Cedar avenue. The said extension shall be of the same width and on the same grade and in the same course as Montgomery avenue.

Sec. 2. That the said extension shall be paved and improved in manner similar to Montgomery avenue.

Sec. 3. That the director of the department of public works is hereby directed to prepare plans and specifications and make an estimate of the cost of extension and the paving and improving thereof.

Sec. 4. That any ordinance, or part of ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed.

(No. 370.)

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing a grade on Montana avenue, Fifteenth ward, from Franklin road to the west line of property of Allegheny city. Center line.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same that the grade of Montana avenue, Fifteenth ward, from Franklin road to the west line of property of Allegheny city, be and the same is hereby established as follows:

Beginning at the east line of Franklin road, at an elevation of five hundred and eighty-four and three one-hundredths (584.03) feet above city datum; thence ascending at the rate of sixteen (16) feet per hundred for a distance of three hundred and seven and eight-tenths (307.8) feet to the west line of the property of Allegheny city, at an elevation of six hundred and thirty-three and twenty-eight one-hundredths (633.28) feet above city datum.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 9th day of January, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

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SAMUEL McELROY,
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Beginning at the east line of Franklin road, at an elevation of five hundred and eighty-four and three one-hundredths (584.03) feet above city datum; thence ascending at the rate of sixteen (16) feet per hundred for a distance of three hundred and seven and eight-tenths (307.8) feet to the west line of the property of Allegheny city, at an elevation of six hundred and thirty-three and twenty-eight one-hundredths (633.28) feet above city datum.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 9th day of January, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 11, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 376.)

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade on Strawberry lane, Sixth and Eleventh wards, from Marshall avenue to Hampton street.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of Strawberry lane, Sixth and Eleventh wards, from Marshall avenue to Hampton street, be and the same is hereby established as follows:

Beginning at a point where the center line of Strawberry lane intersects the south curb line of Marshall avenue, at an elevation of seventy-seven and twenty-nine one-hundredths (77.29) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of three and five-tenths (3.5) feet per hundred for a distance of fifty-five (55) feet, elevation seventy-nine and twenty-one one-hundredths (79.21) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of fourteen and three-tenths (14.3) feet per hundred for a distance of seventy-three and sixty-eight one-hundredths (73.68) feet to the west curb line of Hampton street, elevation eighty-nine and seventy-

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four one-hundredths (89.74) feet above city datum.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 9th day of January, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 11, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 377.)

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade of an unnamed ten (10) foot alley, Fifth ward, ninety (90) feet north of Cabinet street, from Bidwell street to the center of an unnamed fifteen (15) foot alley.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that the grade on an unnamed ten (10) foot alley, Fifth ward, ninety (90) feet north of Cabinet street, from Bidwell street to the center of an unnamed fifteen (15) foot alley, be and the same is hereby established, as follows:

Beginning at a point where the center line of said unnamed ten (10) foot alley intersects the east curb line of Bidwell street, at an elevation of sixty-eight (68) feet above city datum; thence ascending at the rate of five-tenths (5.0) feet per hundred for a distance of one hundred and fifty-five and five-tenths (155.5) feet to the center of an unnamed fifteen (15) foot alley, elevation sixty-eight and seventy-eight one hundredths (68.78) feet above city datum.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 9th day of January, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., Jan. 11, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 378.)

AN ORDINANCE—Naming an unnamed ten (10) foot alley, Fifth ward, ninety feet north of Cabinet street, from Bidwell street to an unnamed fifteen (15) foot alley, "Beymer alley."

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That an unnamed ten (10) foot alley, Fifth ward, ninety feet north of Cabinet street, from Bidwell street to an unnamed fifteen (15) foot alley, be and the same is hereby named "Beymer alley."

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 9th day of January, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 11, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 379.)

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade on Strawberry lane, Sixth and Eleventh wards, from Marshall avenue to Hampton street.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of Strawberry lane, Sixth and Eleventh wards, from Marshall avenue to Hampton street, be and the same is hereby established as follows:

Beginning at a point where the center line of Strawberry lane intersects the south curb line of Marshall avenue, at an elevation of seventy-seven and twenty-nine one-hundredths (77.29) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of three and five-tenths (3.5) feet per hundred for a distance of fifty-five (55) feet, elevation seventy-nine and twenty-one one-hundredths (79.21) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of fourteen and three-tenths (14.3) feet per hundred for a distance of seventy-three and sixty-eight one-hundredths (73.68) feet to the west curb line of Hampton street, elevation eighty-nine and seventy-

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dred forty ($340.00) dollars; driving-room girl, superintendent, two hundred forty ($240.00) dollars; driver, three hundred ($300.00) dollars; male nurse, three hundred sixty ($360.00) dollars.

Sec. 2. The above salaries shall be payable in monthly installments out of appropriation No. 29, Department of Charities and Correction.

Sec. 3. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 9th day of January, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 11, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 381.)

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade on Evergreen road, Fourteenth and Fifteenth wards, from a point on the center line of the Evergreen road opposite the north line of Mary Bell's property at the junction of East street to Greentree avenue.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that the grade on Evergreen road, Fourteenth and Fifteenth wards, from a point on the center line of the Evergreen road opposite the north line of Mary Bell's property at the junction of East street to "reentire avenue," be and the same is hereby established as follows: Center line.

Beginning at a point on the center line of the Evergreen road opposite the north line of Mary Bell's property at the junction of East street, at an elevation of two hundred and thirty-nine and thirteen one-hundredths (239.13) feet above city datum; thence ascending at the rate of one and five-tenths (1.5) feet per hundred for a distance of one thousand and seventy-three and thirteen one-hundredths (1,073.13) feet to a point opposite the south line of Greentree avenue, at an elevation of three hundred and eleven (311) feet above city datum.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 9th day of January, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., Jan. 11, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 382.)

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade of Victor street, Eleventh ward, from Schlosser street to Brighton road.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of Victor street, Eleventh ward, from Schlosser street to Brighton road, be and the same is hereby established as follows:

Beginning at the north line of Schlosser street, at an elevation of one hundred and thirty-eight (138) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of ten (10) feet per hundred for a distance of one hundred and twenty and five one-hundredths (120.05) feet to a point, elevation one hundred and twenty-five and ninety-nine one-hundredths (125.99) feet above city datum, thence ascending at a rate of twenty-four (24) feet per hundred for a distance of one hundred and seventy-eight and seventy-one one-hundredths (178.71) feet to the west line of Brighton road, at an elevation of one hundred and two and fifty-three one-hundredths (102.53) feet above city datum.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 9th day of January, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 11, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 383.)

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade of an unnamed ten (10) foot alley, Fifth ward, ninety feet north of Cabinet street, from Bidwell street to an unnamed fifteen (15) foot alley, "Beymer alley."

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That an unnamed ten (10) foot alley, Fifth ward, ninety feet north of Cabinet street, from Bidwell street to an unnamed fifteen (15) foot alley, "Beymer alley," be and the same is hereby established as follows:

Beginning at the north line of Schlosser street, at an elevation of one hundred and thirty-eight (138) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of ten (10) feet per hundred for a distance of one hundred and twenty and five one-hundredths (120.05) feet to a point, elevation one hundred and twenty-five and ninety-nine one-hundredths (125.99) feet above city datum, thence ascending at a rate of twenty-four (24) feet per hundred for a distance of one hundred and seventy-eight and seventy-one one-hundredths (178.71) feet to the west line of Brighton road, at an elevation of one hundred and two and fifty-three one-hundredths (102.53) feet above city datum.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 9th day of January, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 11, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 384.)

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade of Victor street, Eleventh ward, from Schlosser street to Brighton road.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of Victor street, Eleventh ward, from Schlosser street to Brighton road, be and the same is hereby established as follows:

Beginning at the north line of Schlosser street, at an elevation of one hundred and thirty-eight (138) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of ten (10) feet per hundred for a distance of one hundred and twenty and five one-hundredths (120.05) feet to a point, elevation one hundred and twenty-five and ninety-nine one-hundredths (125.99) feet above city datum, thence ascending at a rate of twenty-four (24) feet per hundred for a distance of one hundred and seventy-eight and seventy-one one-hundredths (178.71) feet to the west line of Brighton road, at an elevation of one hundred and two and fifty-three one-hundredths (102.53) feet above city datum.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

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LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
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ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 11, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 385.)

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade of Bellefonte street, from Bidwell street to an unnamed fifteen (15) foot alley.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of Bellefonte street, from Bidwell street to an un

JENNIE WALKER SAW THE KILLING

Woman Tells How Thomas O. Russell Hit John Wasmuth With a Gas Pipe.

FIGHT FOR MILLER'S ESTATE

"Not guilty; I hit him in self-defense," was the plea of Thomas O. Russell, charged with killing John Wasmuth, a farmhand, at Walkers Mills last September. Wasmuth was beaten over the head with a gas pipe, his skull being fractured. The defendant is represented by Attorneys Harry J. Nesbit and Howard Q. Turner, while Assistant District Attorney John S. Robb, Jr., is prosecuting the case.

The defense will put up a plea of insanity and will attempt to show that Russell was in an insane asylum prior to the time of the crime. Catherine Duffy, a daughter of Wasmuth, said her father was 61 years old and had worked for some time as a farmhand.

Jennie Walker, the owner of the farm, said she had known the defendant for years, as he had always been "tramping around." She saw him strike the blows that killed Wasmuth. She said the defendant had visited their home often and that he sometimes begged food.

The day of the killing, she said, Russell had come to her home and had been ordered away by Wasmuth. He ran out toward the barn and secured the pipe and crept up and struck Wasmuth on the head. She ran and got two men, who found the farmhand dying. She said she was always afraid of the defendant.

Both Sides File Caveats.

Caveats were filed yesterday with Register Siegel against the probate of any paper purporting to be the will of Henry Miller, a Braddock business man, who died this week. Miller was not known by his friends to have been married, but after his death it was announced that he had married Miss Catherine Chambers on October 29, 1903. The caveats were filed by Mrs. Miller and by George H. and John Miller. The latter are brothers of the deceased and would be his heirs, under the intestate laws, if he died unmarried. The marriage license records show that Catherine T. Chambers, in person, took out a license to marry Henry Miller on May 8, 1903, and the return was made showing that the marriage took place on October 29, a little over five months after the license was issued.

An interesting case was placed on trial in common pleas court No. 2, which is sitting in equity cases. The action is that of the Rev. W. Johnston and others against the Pennsylvania Baptist state convention, an organization of colored Baptists, and many prominent colored churchmen from all parts of the state are present. In 1903 a state convention was held in Ebenezer church, Colwell and Miller streets, at which a factional fight developed, one faction withdrawing from the convention and holding a rump convention. The bolters organized a state association, elected officers and were granted a charter of incorporation by the local courts. The new association was never incorporated and the suit is brought by the members of the old association, who object to the new association using the name of Pennsylvania Baptist state convention.

Among those prominent in the case are the Rev. O. S. Simms moderator of the Allegheny association; the Rev. G. C. Coleman, the Rev. E. W. Johnston, W. A. Credlit, Alexander Gordon of Philadelphia, P. L. Pryor and the Rev. T. H. C. Meeser of this city.

Divorce Decrees Granted.

Common pleas court No. 2 granted decrees in divorce to Thomas Williams against Amelia Williams, Jennie M. Haney against William Haney and Richard J. Murphy against Ethel May Murphy.

An order was handed down in the habeas corpus proceedings brought by Nora Tunney against her husband, Thomas Tunney, to recover her children, whom he had placed in homes. The order gives her custody of the youngest child, which had been placed in the Rosalia Foundling asylum, but she is not to take it outside the state without orders from court. The other three children are given in custody of the father, but are to remain till further orders of the court in St. Paul's Orphan asylum. Both parents are given the right to visit the children.

Judge Buffington refused a new trial in the case of Elizabeth R. Hewes of Connellsville against the Equitable Life Assurance Company of New York. The plaintiff sued for $10,000 on a policy for that amount held by her deceased husband. The defendant company claimed the deceased misrepresented facts when he secured his policy. The jury found for the defendant.

The opinion of Judge Henderson sustaining the lower court court in the appeal of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company from an order of quarter sessions court of this county was received by Prothonotary Pearson of the Supreme and Superior courts. The order is one regulating the railroad to comply with an ordinance of the borough of Braddock, and erect and maintain safety gates at the Fourth street crossing.

Ordered to Pay the Note.

In the United States circuit court Judge Joseph Buffington made an order in the case of C. C. Murray, receiver for the Bolivar National bank, against the First National bank of New Kensington, treasurer for the borough of New Kensington. The court orders the defendant to pay the plaintiff $2,000, said to be due on a note.

A petition in involuntary bankruptcy was filed against the Weinstock Furniture Company of Braddock. The petitioners, the Enterprise Lounge and Mattress Company of Evansville, Ind.; William H. Moody of Braddock and C. P. O'Connor of Allegheny, file claims amounting to $1,050 18.

Executions issued: Lydia A. Coursin vs. Addison Boren, $5,562; C. Williams vs. David J. Davies, $126 64; George H. Quaill vs. S. Cooperman, $1,809; Leon Harter vs. Weinstock Furniture Company, $352 71; Catherine Schwer vs. Christina Wunderlich, $181; James D. Heard vs. Herman L. Dean, $2,737 50; C. L. Hill vs. George A. Benny, $3,742 20; Charles st. McKenna vs. heirs of Thomas R. McKenna, $725 Equitable Trust Company vs. Herman L. Dean, $2,724 75; same vs. same, $2,724 75; Provident Trust Company vs. Frank Metcalf, $7,208 84; Eliza R. Pearson vs. Augustus Reineke, $5,110 18; John A. Wilson, executor vs. Charles H. Seidel, $1,020 28; Anthony Schwaab vs. J. B. Motheral, $744 67; William T. Graham vs. Daniel W. Wylie, $5,047 87; Henry E. Benter vs. Daniel Lutz and John Lutz, executors of Caroline Lutz, $224 17; Emma Louisa Ruger vs. Edward House, Jr., $198; Mary R. Dodge vs. William Loereb, $1,512; Mary J. Elder vs. Jefferson W. Curry and Jesse Curry, $2,200; Cash Building and Loan association vs. E. Trafford Wright, $284 88.

Still After the Maccabees.

Daniel St. Clair Wineland of Pittsburgh has filed a suit in the courts of Michigan against the Knights of the Maccabees of the world. In it he seeks to restrain the order from amending its by-laws and from changing the endowment feature of its contracts to a life policy. Mr. Wineland, a man, claims he joined the order and received a contract that he would not have to pay any more dues after he was 70 years of age. An attempt was made to change this feature, and he seeks an injunction. The original suit was brought in the United States court, but was dismissed owing to lack of jurisdiction. Attorney R. H. Jackson of Jackson & Lang represents Wineland.

OPPOSES CONSOLIDATION.

Allegheny Common Council Not in Favor of Putting the Postoffice Under Pittsburgh Control.

Allegheny common council last night adopted, under a suspension of the rules, a resolution condemning the proposed plan to consolidate the Pittsburgh and Allegheny postoffices. A copy of the resolution will be forwarded to the United States senators and to the assemblymen from the Allegheny districts.

President Samuel McElroy appointed William A. Ford, Henry Meyer and Charles P. Bernhart a committee from the common branch to go to Harrisburg to look after the interests of Allegheny in the legislature, when the Greater Pittsburgh bill is brought up.

The ordinance extending the time for the removal of overhead wires in the outlying districts until June 22, 1911, was passed without opposition.

James L. Kelly of the Eighth ward read a communication from the Pennsylvania railroad, in which the latter expressed its intension of making improvements along River avenue in the locality of its Herrs Island bridge. This will settle a dispute the city had with the company over these desired improvements.

A number of ordinances providing for street improvements were passed, and the ordinance to return to the Pittsburgh Provision Company $3,289 25 water rent failed for the lack of a legal majority.

Racing Cars Reach Florida Beach.

DAYTONA, FLA., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Several racing cars of national and international fame reached the scene of next week's automobile races on Ormond-Daytona beach today, being placed either at Ormond or at the garages of Daytona. Among them was the car of Frank Croker, which ran so well in the Vanderbilt race. Mr. Croker said this evening that he had not been able to take the car out, but would do so tomorrow. He pronounced the beach the finest speedway that he had ever seen.

One Thousand Dollars

in cash free to Sunday Gazette want and real estate section readers. See classified page today. $1,000 cash free to home seekers.

MITCHELL REPLIES TO HIS DEFAMERS

Throws Bomb Into Camp of Those Who Said He Sold Out the Colorado Strike.

LAUDS CARNEGIE AND ROBBINS

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Jan. 19.—In the national convention of the United Mine Workers of America today John Mitchell, president, was accused by Delegate Robert Randall of Wyoming of having sold out the Colorado striking miners to the operators; of having been a traitor to the miners' organization, and of having entered into a conspiracy with the mine owners, D. M. Parry and Gov. Peabody's peace organizations to ruin the Colorado miners and to lose their recent strike.

President Mitchell, in reply, gave reasons why the national miners' organization had withdrawn its support from the Colorado strikers. Randall had said President Howell of the Colorado district asked for $300,000 to promote the strike, offering to win or lose it on that amount. Mitchell, referring to this, said:

"Let me be plain on this. Howell did not ask for the money. If he had he would not have got it; I would not trust him with it. He is not a safe witness against anybody."

Mitchell told how the first and the last money sent to the strikers was appropriated by the officers to pay their heck salaries. He said that after $600,000 had been poured into Colorado, the spirit shown by the miners of the state was such that he had recommended a settlement, and that national aid be withdrawn. He said he was ready to get out if it was thought best, and referred to the fact that for six years he had not asked for re-election.

The attack of Randall was attributed by friends of President Mitchell to the Socialists, who had just met with defeat in trying to have the miners' organization declare itself for socialism. The anti-socialistic faction was led by Patrick Dolan of Pittsburgh.

President Mitchell was defending the leaders of the Civic Federation when Randall shouted the leaders were "Grover Cleveland, whom every laboring man detests; Frank Robbins of Pittsburgh, who has made millions by beating down his miners, and Andrew Carnegie, whose hands are red with the blood of the Homestead strikers."

President Mitchell showed his anger as he replied.

"I do not stand here to defend Andrew Carnegie, Frank Robbins or Grover Cleveland. But who in America ever made a speech so favorable to organized labor as Andrew Carnegie, when, in that banquet, he said that if his men were out on strike, he would shut down his plant and wait for them to come back, and would not employ a 'scab'?

"As for Grover Cleveland, I don't like him. He is not a leading light in the Federation. He never even looked in on that meeting. The leading lights of the Federation are men like Frank L. Robbins, who employ only union men."

Captain of Ship in Irons.

PLYMOUTH, ENG., Jan. 19.—The British ship Tamar, from Hamburg for Seattle, put in at this port today with her commander, Capt. Griffiths, in irons. Later he was arrested by the police on the charge of having attempted to murder the mate and a sailor, and was taken before a magistrate and remanded.

Boy Fell Off a Bridge.

Howard Baxter, aged 14, of 328 Lincoln avenue, was probably fatally injured by falling 40 feet from the Brilliant cut-off bridge over Silver lake to the ground on Wednesday afternoon. He was injured internally and had both legs broken. Dr. John Matheny attended him at his home, but no hopes are expressed for his recovery.

NEWS OF THE NEARBY TOWNS AND COUNTRY

SHEEP OWNERS MEET AND NAME OFFICERS

Merino and Delaine Breeders' Associations Hold Annual Meetings. Want Dogs Muzzled.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 19.—The annual meeting of the Black Top Spanish Merino Sheep Breeders' association was held in Washington today. These officers were elected: President, the Hon. J. M. Berry, Wylandsville; secretary, R. P. Berry, Washington; treasurer, W. S. Whitham, West Alexander. Reports showed that Washington county had greatly increased its production of merino sheep the past year.

The National Delaine Sheep Breeders' association held its yearly meeting here and elected these officers: President, John H. Hamilton, Houston; secretary and treasurer, J. B. Johnson, Canonsburg; corresponding secretary, Charles E. Crothers, Crothers station. John D. Carpenter of Spencer, O., the leading authority on the Delaine sheep in the United States, addressed the meeting, which was attended by about 150 sheep breeders of estern Pennsylvania. The association decided to ask the state legislature to pass a bill providing for the muzzling of all dogs in the country districts and the proper indemnifying of sheep owners for losses.

JIU-JITSU BEGINS AT NAVAL ACADEMY

ANNAPOLIS, MD., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Prof. Yamishita, the new instructor in the Japanese system of offense and defense, has begun his work at the naval cademy. He instructs the midshipmen in judi, an advanced form of the better known jiu jitsu, which includes in every case the imparting of the ability to cure the injuries which might be inflicted by the system.

Will Get Into Washington.

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—The Monongahela & Washington Street Railway Company, which desires to build a trolley line from the river district to Washington, and which was refused a franchise from Washington and East Washington councils, has practically closed arrangements for the use of the tracks of the Washington & Canonsburg Railway Company into Washington.

Woman's Jewels Are Stolen.

UNIONTOWN, PA., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—A theft of diamonds valued at about $1,000 occurred last Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Harry E. Robinson in East Main street. It is said that if arrests are made of those toward whom the suspicion of the officers now points it will create a sensation, as certain women are suspected.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

LATROBE—The new United Brethren church of South Latrobe will be dedicated on Sunday.

UNIONTOWN—Antonio Mandato, charged with killing Charles Cassimer at Black Ridge Tuesday night, is in jail here.

STEUBENVILLE, O.—Joseph Zinn, an employe of the Panhandle railroad construction gang, was killed by a hand car at Colliers, W. Va., yesterday.

WASHINGTON, PA.—Samuel Gimpsey of Monongahela yesterday entered suit for $5,000 damages against Thomas Harrington of the same place, for alleged false arrest and imprisonment.

MONESSEN—Edward Reagan, aged 55, whose legs were broken at the Pittsburgh steel mill Tuesday, died from his injuries in the McKeesport hospital yesterday.

LATROBE—As the result of a car famine a number of mines in the Latrobe district are closed.

SOMERSET—In the case of John M. Wright of Elk Lick township vs. the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, the jury awarded the plaintiff $806 40. The suit was for $47,000.

SUSPECT ALLEGHENY THIEVES

Number of Houses Robbed at White Haven and One Man Arrested.

CONNELLSVILLE, Jan. 19.—(Special.)—The houses of Cooper Patterson, Dudley Parkhill, Michael Patterson, Charles H. Miller, Patrick Tulley and Robert Lytle were robbed last night, at New Haven. It is estimated that the thieves secured plunder valued at $1,000. The hardware dealers today report an unprecedented sale of firearms and ammunition.

Officers believe the numerous robberies in this vicinity during the last week were committed by thieves who left Allegheny owing to the present crusade. A man was arrested here today who gave the name of Joseph McMullen of Allegheny. He had goods identified as having been stolen from the store of Benjamin Bowman of Dunbar.

SECURES SEVERED HAND.

Injured Miner Then Lights Lamp and Crawls Back and Flags Drivers.

EVERSON, Jan. 19.—James Leisure of this place, who worked for the Bessemer Coke Company at their Griffin works near Masontown as a driver, was bringing a trip of three wagons down the main entry when one of the wagons jumped the track and, catching his right arm between the wagon and the rib, cut his hand completely off at the wrist. Knowing that there were two trips following, he picked up his hand and laid it upon the wagon and lit his lamp and crawled back over the wreck and flagged the other drivers.

He was taken to the company's office, where the wound was temporarily dressed, and he was then taken to the Uniontown hospital. He is about 25 and single.

CLAYSVILLE BANK FUNDS WERE BADLY INVESTED

Asserted by Witnesses in Suit of Failed Institution Against Minton Estate.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 19.—The case of the claim of the First National bank of Claysville against the estate of the late Dr. B. Minton was on trial here today. The Claysville bank recently went into the hands of a receiver, its cashier, H. H. Miller of Washington, having been sentenced last week to five years in the penitentiary for embezzlement and perjury. Dr. Minton was president of the institution.

It developed in the testimony that nearly all the funds of the concern were invested in western securities, the firm being known as the United States Trust Company. The securities turned out to be worthless and the funds of the bank were bringing no interest. Minton, the cashier and seven directors formed a syndicate within the bank and promised to give their individual notes to make up the deficiency. Minton was the only one who kept the agreement and received a written guarantee from the cashier that the bank would pay him back. This was never done, and nothing was heard of the note until the institution went into the hands of a receiver. The note was presented to the Minton estate for payment. The auditors after an investigation refused to pay.

BAIL FOR MRS. CHADWICK IS FIXED AT $20,000

With Her Federal Bond for Like Amount, She Now Requires $40,000 Before She Can Get Out of Prison.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CLEVELAND, Jan. 19.—Judge Neff today fixed the bail of Mrs. Chadwick at $20,000, pending trial. In order to secure her freedom Mrs. Chadwick must furnish security to the total amount of $40,000, the United States district court having fixed her bond at $20,000 several days ago.

Nathan Loeser, receiver for Mrs. Chadwick, said this afternoon if the latter furnished bonds for $40,000 to secure her release an investigation would be commenced to ascertain whether any money or securities belonging to the Chadwick estate had been placed with her bondsmen in order to indemnify them against possible loss. It is the purpose of the receiver to claim such money or collateral, providing proof can be found showing the same to be a part of Mrs. Chadwick's assets.

Marshal a Murderer and Suicide.

ELLIS, KAS. Jan. 19.—At Wilson today City Marshal Tillman shot and killed Postmaster Samuel Hutchinson, who is also editor of a paper, and then committed suicide. Several days ago Tillman whipped Hutchinson's boy and Hutchinson scored the marshal in his paper.

Fire Underwriters Elect Officers.

At the annual meeting of the Fire Underwriters' association yesterday the following officers were elected: President, W. G. McCandless; vice president, J. W. Patterson; secretary, W. D. McGill; treasurer, John H. Clancy. William L. Jones, James Little and Theodore Motherel were elected members of the executive committee to serve for three years.

CHANCELLOR M'CORMICK IS PRESSING NEW PLANS

Head of Western University Believes Moving to New Site Will Soon Be Possible.

Chancellor S. B. McCormick of the Western university, who returned yesterday from New York, stated last evening that the plans for refinancing the institution to enable it to move to a location near the Carnegie institute, are being worked out as rapidly as possible. Rumor had connected Mr. McCormick's visit to New York this week with the plans, but he stated last evening that he had gone there to meet an old friend, and that his call upon Mr. Carnegie was entirely apart from the main purpose of the trip.

"There is no secret being made of our desire to obtain the Schenley tract near the Hotel Schenley," he said last evening. "We would much rather have that property than any other, and this may mean a longer wait for our plans to be consummated than would be required if we did not seek so fine and costly a property. I cannot say how long a time will be required to complete the plans, but I hope that they will be perfected and the way made clear in a short while."

THEODORE THOMAS LEFT A $50,000 ESTATE

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—The estate of Theodore Thomas is valued at $50,000, according to his will. His musical library is ordered distributed equally among his five children. The collection of programs of concerts given by Mr. Thomas in Chicago and at various places in the United States is bequeathed to the widow, Mrs. Rose Fay Thomas.

Earthquake Shock in Ecuador.

GUAYAQUIL, ECUADOR, Jan. 19.—A long and heavy earthquake shock was felt here this morning.

JUDGES WILL RECEIVE THEIR BACK SALARIES

State Treasurer Mathues Announces Payments Will Be Made Immediately.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

HARRISBURG, Jan. 19.—After waiting for more than one year for the added pay provided for by the Moore judges' salary act of 1903, the judges in commission at the time of its approval by Gov. Pennypacker will be paid. State Treasurer Mathues today issued an order that the judges shall be paid without further delay.

Mr. Mathues also gave orders to cash the warrants issued by Auditor General Snyder before suit was brought by James W. M. Newton of Philadelphia in the United States circuit court. In that way to test the legality of the recent decision of Justice Thompson of the state supreme court, that the act applied to all judges in the state. The auditor general will issue warrants to the judges for their back pay as fast as they file their requisitions and the warrants will be promptly cashed by the state treasurer.

The right of those judges commissioned after the signing of the Moore act to accept the increased salary has never been questioned and they have been paid on the new basis ever since the law went into effect on January 1, 1904. Mr. Mathues said this evening that there being two injunctions against him, one in the Dauphin county court to require him to pay the back salaries and one in the United States circuit court to prevent him from paying them, he could not do both of these things. In view of this fact he decided to wait until after the United States court had rendered a decision, which was given today by Judge McPherson in favor of the judges.

PAUR CHARMS CLEVELAND.

Work of the Pittsburgh Orchestra Considered Wonderful—David Bispham Sings Well.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 19.—(Special.)—The third symphony concert this season in Cleveland was given tonight by the Pittsburgh orchestra under Emil Paur. An immense audience filled Gray's armory and it is the general opinion that never before has the orchestra reached such a point of emotional expression as tonight in Tschaikowsky's "Pathetic" symphony. Cleveland never heard such orchestra playing and the universal verdict is that Paur is the greatest conductor now before the public of this country. The wonderful precision of the playing was remarked by every one.

After the symphony the audience remained silent for several seconds, then came a torrent of applause. David Bispham was the soloist and sang finely. The program as a whole was of great quality, and the playing throughout showed unmistakably how great is the difference between the orchestra of this season and that of last.

BOUGHT CANTON PLANT.

Cheswick Manufacturing Company Purchases Structural Car Works.

CANTON, O., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Negotiations were closed today for the sale of the Structural Steel Car Company plant for $40,000. The purchase was made by George C. Riley of Pittsburgh, president of the Cheswick Manufacturing Company.

It is the intention of the company to begin operations here about April 1. Their plant at Cheswick was recently destroyed by fire. The car plant was built by eastern and local capitalists several years ago, but was never operated.

WHEAT ROSE AND FELL, BUT THEY ALWAYS LOST

Clients of Lane & Co. Relate Experiences—Member of Firm Held for Court.

Richard Oliver of the firm of Charles A. Lane & Co., formerly known as bankers and brokers in the Keenan building, was held for court in $1,000 bail yesterday by United States Commissioner Lindsey on a charge of using the mails to defraud.

Postoffice Inspector Frank A. O'Brien was the chief witness against Oliver. It was shown by Oliver's books that not one of his clients ever made a dollar in stock dealings with Lane & Co. It was shown the firm had no seats on exchanges in this or other cities and were not registered as bankers and brokers. Oliver told Inspector O'Brien he made his deals through A. C. Jones & Co. of Chicago. Inspector O'Brien testified the Chicago firm went into the hands of a receiver last July, and Lane & Co. located here several months after that.

John Weiner of Steubenville, O., testified that he invested in wheat with Lane & Co. on margins. He was called on for additional margins, and when the stock reached a point where he could sell it at a gain, he was informed by Lane & Co. that he had been sold out.

H. J. Lucia, Arctic, R. I., testified that he lost $350 with Lane & Co. in the same manner. He bought 1,000 bushels of wheat on $100 margin. The price dropped and Lucia was asked for $250 more. Lucia remitted this and informed the company to sell out his wheat, as the price had then gained four points. In reply to this Lucia was informed that Lane & Co. had bought him 5,000 bushels of wheat on the rise, and as the price had dropped a point when they received his notification to sell, his margins were short and they had sold him out. Lucia testified he had not instructed Lane & Co. to buy him the extra 5,000 bushels of wheat.

Charles Ihle, 3226 Palo Alto street, Allegheny, said he was an advertisement of Lane & Co. saying they could make $500 a month on an investment of $100. They had a conservative plan of investing money, and allowed in a letter to Ihle they had "made information and bought and sold with the big fellows." Ihle lost $200 in the same manner as the others.

Charles Lane, who was arrested in Chicago, was released from jail Wednesday on bail.

HOMESTEAD MEN OPPOSE GREATER PITTSBURGH BILL

Opposition to the Greater Pittsburgh bill was displayed at a mass meeting of Homestead citizens last evening in McClure hall, Homestead. Dr. Joseph A. Davis was chairman of the meeting, which unanimously adopted a resolution condemning the proposed measure and urging the representatives in the legislature to fight it. The Hon. Robert Mac Whinney, member of the state legislature from the Sixth district, which includes Homestead, came from Harrisburg to attend the meeting.

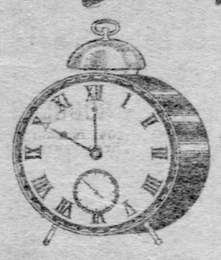
Plumbers' Conference Deadlocked.

The journeymen plumbers held another conference with the master plumbers last evening to consider the scale. The men are working under last year's scale pending a settlement. The league had notified all associations that their scales must be signed by the last of this month. The workmen refuse to accept the open shop policy, and the committees deadlocked on the question.

Dwelling Is Destroyed.

The residence of John Cashdollen, 406 Singer street, East End, was destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon with a loss of $2,500. The fire originated from a defective flue, and on account of the distance to be traveled by the firemen, the flames got considerable headway before they arrived.

KAUFMANN'S "THE BIG STORE" Hour Sale KAUFMANN'S "THE BIG STORE"



10 TO 11 A. M. TODAY.

Boys' shoes— boys' and youths' satin calf lace shoes, very suitable for school wear, regular price $1.35, now 90c.

Candy— our regular 20c grade mixed candy, including cream bonbons, jellies, chocolates, etc., on sale during this hour for only, pound, 12c. (First floor.)

Carpets— remnants of 75c velvet and heavy Brussels carpet, at, yd., 39c. Regular 75c and 89c Brussels carpets (enough alike for large rooms), for, yd., 50c.

White goods— mercerized white madras, dace lawn and fancy vesting for which you'd expect to pay 25c, at only, yd., 12½c.

Back combs— made of shell and amber, slightly scratched, 48c value for 25c. Stamped linen squares, 24-inch size, regularly 39c, at 25c.

Tumblers— pressed glass table tumblers; also plain white fruit saucers in pretty embossed designs, really worth 40c a dozen, at, each, 2c.

Kid gloves— women's imported kid gloves, slightly soiled, so we've reduced the price from 89c to only, pair, 47c.

Skirts— women's $3 and $3.50 all wool walking skirts, in plain colors and fancy stripes, strapped, pleated or kilted, 1.59.

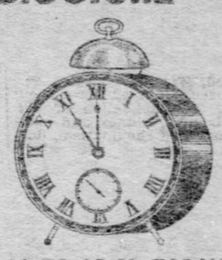
Taffeta— 36-inch wide black taffeta silk for, yd., 48c. Short lengths of costume and silk velvets, worth $1 to $2 per yd., at, per length, 15c and 10c.

Boys' caps— with pull down bands, in all wool cassimere patterns; also all wool knit toques and tams, worth 35c, at 15c.

Butter— pure Elgin creamery, pound print, 32c. Best American cheese, 2 pounds, 25c. Best American Swiss cheese, pound, 15c.

Aprons— women's large size white lawn aprons; also gingham aprons, all to go at only 10c.

Tea pots— enameled tea pots, blue on outside and white inside, 19c. Slightly damaged cuspidors, 25c. Wash benches with folding legs, 29c. (Basement.)



11 TO 12 M. TODAY

Portiers— double door rope portiers, made of heavy chenille and hard twisted flemish ropes, two-toned colors, the regular $3 and $4 kind, for, each 1.98.

Dress goods— a traveler's sample line of pure wool dress goods, all colors and styles, plain or fancy, 1½ to 8 yard lengths, values up to 75c, for, yd., 29c.

Boys' waists and blouses, made of warm outing flannel, in light and dark patterns, regular 35c and 50c kind, for 18c.

Laces— extra wide point de Paris, Platt Val. and pure linen laces and insertings, worth 15c and 19c, at, yd., 10c.

Boys' suits— odds and ends of boys' double breasted suits, sizes 2½ to 16, former $2.50 and $3.98 suits to be closed out at only 1.65.

Skates— women's and children's half-clamp skates, with strap heels, for 69c. All other skates in stock at 20 per cent discount.

Shoes— men's regular $2.00 rex calf double sole shoes, for the working man, during this hour, pair, 1.35.

Flannels— super-fine printed flannels and fancy printed waistings, the 12½c kind, this hour for, yd., 8½c.

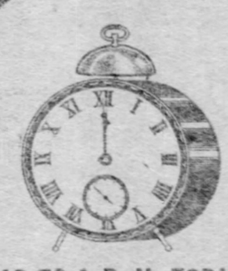
Glassware— crystal glass sugar bowls, creamers, vinegar cruets, water jugs and tall flower vases, worth up to 25c, for, each, 10c.

Corn meal— new yellow granulated cornmeal, 10-pound bag, 15c. Best navy beans, 10 pounds 25c. Best rolled oats, 10 pounds, 25c.

Velvet waists— women's $2.50, $3.50 and $5.00 fine velvet waists, plain or fancy trimmed, tucked or pleated effect, this hour only 1.25.

Petticoats— 500 women's fast black mercerized sateen petticoats, accordion pleated or ruffle trimmed flounce, extra dust ruffle, regularly 75c, $1.00 and $1.25, now only 59c.

Women's coats— in new 42-inch and 45-inch lengths, made of kerseys, cheviots and coverts, in belted, loose or semi-fitting effects, $15, $18 and $21 coats, at 9.50.



12 TO 1 P. M. TODAY

Suspenders— men's imported elastic web suspenders, with best kid ends, gold plated buckles, former price $1.50, now only 55c.

Men's hats— men's advance spring sample derbies, black and brown, also new wide brim soft hats, would be good value at $1.50, go at only 83c.

Shoes— men's box-calf lace shoes, double soles, sewed bottom, regular price $2.50, this hour, pair, 1.80.

Youths' suits— youths' stylish long pants suits, made of fancy dark cheviots and plain materials, reduced from $7 and $7.50 to 3.25.

Table covers— 1½ yards square, made of fine reversible French tapestry, worth $1, at, each, 39c. Regular 75c and $1 ruffled sateen sofa pillows, 39c. (Drapery dept.)

Ribbons— remnants of 10c and 15c messaline and taffeta silk ribbons, at, yd., 8c. Crushed velvet girdles, 8c each. 19c white hemstitched collar and cuff sets, per set, 8c.

Muslin— 42-inch wide bleached pillow case muslin, at, yd., 8½c. Huck and Turkish towels, at only, each, 9c.

Knife grinders— with large emery wheel, for 15c. Kitchen scales, with weights, 69c. Tea, coffee or sugar canisters, 10c.

Rugs— our entire line of regular $27.50 Bigelow body brussels, Bagdad make, 9x12 foot size, none reserved, at only 18.75.

Gas lamps— brilliant incandescent gas lamps, with burner, mantle and globe, worth 30c, all complete for 19c.

Fur scarfs— long or cluster effect, in fox, brook mink, marten and electric seal, tail or silk ornament trimmed, $2.50, $3.50 and $5 scarfs for 1.25.

Kimonos— women's flecked cloth or striped flannelette long kimonos; also all wool eiderdown dressing sacques, regular price $1 to $1.50, choice for 59c.

Girls' dresses— made of neat checked, plaid and striped materials, full skirts, sizes 4 to 14 years, former price $1.50, now only 59c.

1 TO 2 P. M. TODAY

Veiling— remnants of 25c and 35c magpie, jackdaw and tuxedo veiling, per remnant, 12½c. Women's dainty 25c hemstitched and embroidered handkerchiefs at 12½c.

Skirt lengths of all-wool dress materials, plain and mixed effects, all colors and black, really worth $3, full skirt length for only 1.39.

Neckwear— clean-up of our men's regular 25c and 50c neckwear, all shapes, including plain black four-in-hands, choice, 10c.

Overcoats— young men's stylish fancy overcoats, including tourists and belted backs, made of all wool materials, worth $8, $10 and $12, at only 4.75.

Dress linings— mercerized black sateen, onyx silk and spun glass dress lining; also skirting and moreen skirting, 25c values, this hour 12½c.

Rugs— Bigelow Imperial axminster rugs, 36x63 and 36x72 inch sizes, in handsome Persian, Turkish and French floral patterns, reduced from $7.50 and $8 to only 4.75.

Hose supporters— 25c satin pad belt hose supporters, 4-strap, plain or frilled elastic, pair, 19c. Silk floss pillows, 25c size, 19c. (Art dept.)

Coffee pots— made of heavy tin, with copper bottom, 35c. Rotary washing machines, 2.50. Lot of sample table trays, 5c.

Babies' sacques— plain or kimono styles, flannelette or hand crochet, white and colors, during this hour only 19c. (Infants' dept.)

Chinaware— Austrian china bread and butter plates, fruit saucers; also cream pitchers, all prettily decorated, actually worth 15c, at, each, 5c.

Camera supplies— Printing paper, 4x5 and smaller, 3 dozen 15c. M. Q. and Argo tubes, each, 3c. Regular 10c box of acid hypo, 5c. A 15c box of flash cartridges, 9c.

Toys— children's Sky Scraper Savings Banks or Brownie Funny Fellows and menagerie rubber stamps, worth 15c and 25c (in toy dept.), this hour 10c.

Silk waists— women's stylish $5 silk waists, made of chiffon or plain taffeta, in brown, blue or black, all sizes, at only 2.95.

2 TO 3 P. M. TODAY

Napkins— hemmed napkins, ready for use, 39c per dozen. 36-inch hemstitched lunch cloths, at, each, 39c.

Underwear— women's heavy striped flannelette gowns; also muslin gowns, skirts, drawers and chemise, all sizes, choice for 35c.

Pin sets— gold-plated cuff pin sets, each pin set with a pretty cut stone, they're regularly 19c (in jewelry dept.), this hour for only, per set, 7c.

Curtains— pure white ruffled Swiss curtains, in dotted, striped, figured, floral and wreath effects, worth $1.25 and $1.50, at, pair, 79c.

Hair combs— the "Always neat" stray hair combs, in shell and amber, 15c kind, for 5c. A full 10-yard bolt of No. 1 baby ribbon for 5c.

Umbrellas— men's and women's 26 and 28-inch umbrellas, covers of fine union taffeta, paragon frame, steel rods, a regular $1.50 umbrella for 99c.

Melton— 56-inch wool melton cloth, suitable for unlined skirts and tailored suits — regular 85c goods, yard, 49c.

Boys' suits— boys' all wool double breasted, Norfolk, Pleated Brown, Russian blouse and sailor suits, regular $3 suits, this hour for only 2.50.

Shoes— women's box calf and vici kid lace shoes, patent tip, former price $3, now only, pair, 1.35.

Rugs— lot of $22 wilton velvet, Smyrna and Brussels rugs, size 9x11 feet, new patterns, go at only 16.25.

Corn poppers— made of heavy wire, 5c. Mrs. Potts' irons, set of 3, handle and stand, for 55c. A lot of papier mache crumb trays, 10c.

Cottolene— Fairbank's pure white cottolene at lowest prices ever quoted: 10 pound tin, 90c; 4 pound tin, 35c; 2-pound tin, 17c.

Girls' coats— made of all wool zibelines, cheviots and meltons, military style, loose back with belt, cuffed sleeves with emblem, brass buttons, any size up to 14 years, at 1.19.

3 TO 4 P. M. TODAY

Overcoats— boys' fine belted-back overcoats; also fine dress suits, sizes 2½ to 12, reduced from $6.50, $7 and $7.50 to only 3.25.

Babies' shirts— open down the front, finished with button-hole stitch; also all wool bands, for 5c. (Infants' dept.)

Silk— 36-inch washable Linen colored pongee and tussor silk, at 45c. The 24-inch black or 20-inch white Jap, and India silk, at, yd., 25c.

Tea— Oolong, Ceylon, Gunpowder, mixed, English Breakfast, Japan and Young Hyson, our regular 45c quality, worth 75c, at, 4 pounds 1.95, or, pound, 49c.

Cut glass tooth pick holders, salt dips, cordial glasses and mustard pots with silver tops, worth 30c, at only 15c.

Taffies— our regular 20c delicious old-fashioned molasses candy, vanilla or strawberry flavor, this hour, pound, 14c. (First floor.)

Bed comforts— sample lot of bed comforts and crochet bed spreads, worth $1.50 and $2, during this hour only 85c.

House shoes— women's warm lined house shoes, sizes 4 to 8, shoes you'd expect to find marked $1.50, for only, pair, 90c.

Curtain materials— 36-inch white Swisses, striped or figured effects, really 12½c materials, only 6¼c. (Drapery dept.)

Pictures— assorted lot of pictures, suitable for any room, including imported medallions, worth 75c, $1.00 and $1.25, go for 39c.

Challie— pretty all wool challie and all-wool printed French challies, 7c and 10c qualities, in 4½ to 6-yard lengths, per yd., 3½c.

Silverware— Rogers' silver table forks and spoons, each, 24½c. Rogers' heavy plated fancy handle butter knives, each, 19c.

Rugs— Smyrna, velvet and axminster rugs, worth $2.50 and $2.75 —go at only 1.69.

4 TO 5 P. M. TODAY.

Underwear— women's and children's extra heavy fleeced ribbed vests or pants, all sizes, at only 15c.

Hosiery— lot of children's heavy ribbed cotton stockings, for school wear, small sizes, regular 15c kind, for only, pair, 7c.

Granite ware— 8-qt. size pails, preserve kettles, funnels, etc. The pudding rod or sewing tables 45c. Steel kitchen cleavers, 7c.

Tomatoes— "Gloucester" brand, Maryland canning, 3 pound can, dozen, 70c; can, 6c. "Honey" brand peas, early June sifted, 2 pound can, dozen, 90c; can, 8c.

Women's suits— women's stylish $15, $20 and $22 tailor made suits, made of fine cheviots, broadcloth, suitings and mixtures, this

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LOCAL RIFLE CHAMPION BEATS HIS OWN RECORD

RIFLE RECORD HELD BY ITTEL

Local Expert Beat His Former Record One Point and Looks Like Winner of Match.

SOME EXCELLENT SHOOTING

L. P. Ittel, the local rifle expert, who heretofore held the rifle championship with a record of 2,458, made in the tournament in New York two years ago, went that record one better yesterday when he made a total of 2,459, and now leads in the championship match with every prospect of being the winner.

The shooting yesterday was largely confined to the championship match, and the continuous match still remains a tie between Ittel and H. N. Pope, with 290 each, which is only one short of a perfect score. The scores in the championship and continuous matches follow:

Championship match—

L. P. Ittel	2459
A. A. Stillman	2441
W. A. Tewes	2440
H. M. Pope	2440
F. C. Ross	2432
R. Gube	2423
M. Dorrler	2423
L. C. Buss	2419
E. C. Reed	2418
J. W. Hessian	2412
P. Paulsens	2408
A. F. Lantensack	2354
George Williams	2394
H. M. Thomas	2385
R. Pierce	2380
A. H Hofer	2377
D. L. Black	2377
Whoma	2367
H. B. Pierce	2354
C. W. Shupe	2311

Continuous match—

H. M. Pope	75	75	75	74—299
L. P. Ittel	75	75	75	74—299
A. A. Stillman	75	75	74	73—297
Owen Smith	74	74	74	73—295
W. A. Tewes	75	74	74	73—296
L. C. Buss	74	74	74	73—295
R. F. Phillips	75	74	73	72—294
A. J. Husbner	74	73	73	73—293
Harry Fox	75	74	72	71—292
A. H. Hofer	75	74	72	71—292
E. C. Reed	74	73	72	—219
R. Gube	74	73	72	—219
W. G. Hay	73	73	72	—218
J. H. Dimling	74	73	71	—218
P. Paulsen	73	73	72	—218
F. C. Ross	73	73	72	—218
H. B. Pierce	73	73	72	—218
C. A. Frank	73	73	72	—217
H. Rahm	73	72	72	—217
N. Johnson	74	71	70	—215
J. W. Hessian	74	71	70	—215
J. Q. Smith	74	72	69	—215
H. F. Barning	72	71		—143
George Williams	72	70		—142
H. R. Anderson	72	70		—142
F. L. Knight	71	70		—141
A. F. Lantensack	72	70		—140
M. Doufer	71	69		—140
W. D. Kittler	70	69		—139
C. W. Shupe	69	69		—138
W. Reibling	68	67		—135
R. Taylor	67	67		—134
H. B. Smith	72	68		—140
H. M. Thomas	72	70		—142
L. Bonner	73	69		—142

PIRATES WANT BILLET.

Independent Star Said to Have Offer from Pittsburgh—Heckert Re-Engaged.

YORK, PA., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—George W. Heckert will again manage the Penn Park Tri-State team. The settlement of the differences between Heckert and those who opposed his selection has probably ended a proposition which would have meant a team for York under the management of Eugene McCann, a pitcher of the Jersey City Eastern league team.

"Yabby" Billet, the star fielder of last year's team, is considering an offer from the Pittsburgh team. On the strength of this he will demand larger advance money from the management of the York team. Frank Eustace, who was third baseman and captain of the Penn Park team last season, has two offers. One is from the Concord (N. H.) club and the other from the Wilmington (Del.) team. He will, however, probably captain the York team.

ABBATICHIO MAY COACH THE WASH.-JEFF. CANDIDATES

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Manager Horace W. Davis, of the W. & J. college baseball team has almost closed a deal with Edward Abbatichio, the second baseman of the Boston National league team, to coach the local collegiate candidates this spring. It is expected he will come next month. Daily practice is now going on in the gymnasium cage. Manager Davis stated today that he would schedule a game in Washington with Pittsburgh college.

Liffiton Shoots Winning Goal.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—(Special.)—In one of the best played amateur league championship hockey games of the season the Crescent A. C. defeated the New York A. C. at the St. Nicholas skating rink tonight 3 to 2. In an extra period of five minutes Liffiton made the winning goal. The lineup:

Crescent A. C.—3.		N. Y. A. C.—2.
Hallock	Goal	Williams
O'Flynn	Point	Hunt
Wall	Cover Point	Fenwick
Dobby	Forward	Stuart
Liffiton	Forward	Coolican
Sheriff	Forward	Hoblitz
Shiepler	Forward	Bullen

Referee—Rupert Howard, Hockey club of New York.

Oakdale Easy for McDonald.

The McDonald A. C. defeated the Oakdale A. C. at McDonald last night 34 to 14. Lineup:

McDonald—34.		Oakdale—14.
Horty	Forward	Lauderbaugh
Langdale	Forward	Carver
Gothe	Center	Heinrich
Grine	Guard	Nesbit
Mandale	Guard	McHale

Field goals—Langdale 10, Horty 3, Gothe, Grine 3, Lauderbaugh, Nesbit 4, Carver, Heinrich. Referee—Hays. Time—20 minute halves. In the preliminary game the McDonald High school team beat the Oakdale Juniors 21 to 5.

AMONG THE PASSERS.

The Leithead Juniors will play the Kingley House Midgets tonight.

The Carnegie A. C. of Braddock has dates in February open. Address Edward Potter, Braddock.

Tuesday evening at Apollo the State five defeated Allegheny 18 to 14. State will journey to Leetsdale Saturday.

The State Five Juniors challenge all 11 and 12-year-old teams. Address Raymond Jones, 1112 East street, Allegheny.

This evening in the gymnasium of the California Avenue Methodist Episcopal church the Hannas will meet the Superior five.

The Fowler A. C. wants games with 16 and 17-year-old teams at home and abroad. Address Harry Heuring, 411 Union station.

The Edgar Thomson five of Braddock defeated the Keystone five of Allegheny by 20 to 2. James of E. T. shot eight field goals.

The Carson Reserves would like to hear from all 8 to 10-year-old teams having halls. Address Arthur Judge, 425 Penn avenue, city.

The Spring Garden A. C. is without games at home for Monday, January 30, and all Mondays following. Address Charles A. Woelfel, 703 Park building, city.

By an agreement between the manager of W. U. P. and South Side, Walter East is barred from playing in games between these teams. He belongs to both teams.

Tomorrow night on Newman floor the Trenton five will be the attraction. This is the first meeting of these teams. In the preliminary the Newman Reserves will meet the Crucible Steel Company team. The Newman Reserves want games. Address the manager at Newman institute, Homewood.

INTERESTING STATISTICS.

The following table of importations of the principal brands of champagne that arrived at the port of New York during the year 1904 should be of considerable interest to lovers of the sparkling wine:

MOET & CHANDON	116,549	cases
G. H. Mumm & Co.	85,228	"
Pommery & Greno	24,143	"
Ruinart pere & fils	15,822	"
Vve. Clicquot	13,076	"
Piper-Heidsieck	9,136	"
Louis Roederer	6,990	"
Pol Roger	6,603	"
Dry Monopole	2,962	"

Tabulated according to customs house statistics by Bonfort's Wine and Spirit Circular, January 10, 1905.—Adv.

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TUSTIN CHOSEN CAPTAIN OF PREP SCHOOL FIVE

Coach Snitzer Plans Trip East to Play the St. Luke Team—Kiski's Hard Schedule.

Herbert P. Tustin was yesterday elected captain of the Allegheny Prep. school basketball team. Albert Wallace was chosen manager. Tustin, at the close of the last football season, was elected captain of the eleven for next year.

Basketball has been booming at the Prep. school lately, the class fives playing series. The Juniors yesterday took the third and deciding game of a series of three from the Seniors, 47 to 45.

Coach Snitjer is planning an eastern trip for the team this spring. If the team shows good form he will take it to the St. Lukes school, Philadelphia, for a game and will also give a gymnasium exhibition. Most of the basketball players are members of the gym. team.

The Kiski basketball team continues to play first-class ball. The schedule for the rest of the season is a hard one, as follows:

January 23—Westminster College at Saltsburg.

January 28—Johnstown High school at Saltsburg.

January 31—Allegheny College at Saltsburg.

February 2—Grove City College at Saltsburg.

February 4—Oil City at Saltsburg.

February 11—Indiana Amateurs at Saltsburg.

The East Liberty academy five will play the West Virginia five tonight at Morgantown. Capt. McCandless of East Liberty reports his team in fine shape.

The East Liberty second five played a team representing the Colfax school yesterday. The playing became on the "rag time" order and Coach Hull stopped the affair with the score 11 to 8 in East Liberty's favor.

Yale and Princeton will have their first hockey game of the season Saturday night at New York. New York experts think Yale, although it beat Columbia 9 to 3 Wednesday night, is not as strong as Harvard. The goals Wednesday night were shot as follows: Yale—Dilworth 2, Behr 2, Marcus 3, Sheppeard 2; Columbia—Callahan 2, Bode. Harvard, the same day, beat the Springfield Training school seven, 18 to 0.

Flint, the Pittsburgh boy, played a strong game at center for Penn against Princeton Wednesday. He showed steady nerves in the early part of the contest and seldom missed a foul. He scored in all 15 points by this means.

WHAT THE INDEPENDENT PLAYERS ARE DOING

Lancaster has a good chance of being the eighth member of the Tri-State league.

Ray Rush is heading a movement toward placing a fast team in Brownsville this season.

T. W. Cohill will again manage the Economy team, which will be composed of local talent.

Dave Griffith, third baseman on the Glassport team, has been recommended to Manager Risher of Homestead.

Charles Crowe will again manage the Niles team. Mutz Williams, the good Youngstown catcher, probably will be signed by Niles.

Jesse Frysinger, who is to manage the Holyoke (Mass.) team, says he has signed "Chic" Hartley, "Red" Farrell, John Hummell and Frank Dolan of Tri-State clubs.

Andy Oyler, the former W. and J. infielder, who was with Minneapolis the past two years, may play independent ball. The Philadelphia Athletics of the American league are anxious to get him, however.

Catcher Esterly, last year with the Salem (O.) team, has been signed by Marty Hogan for Youngstown. Hogan is signing so many players that it will take him several days in the spring to get them acquainted.

"Red" Calhoun, the Alleghenian, has accepted terms with Harrisburg. Walter Crum, the Homestead middle fielder, who is still employed in the steel town, has also accepted terms with the Senators. Manager Hamilton of Harrisburg announces his players as follows: Agnew, catcher; Hilbert, McGeehan and Davis, pitchers; Calhoun or Deal, first; Bonner, second; Broderick or Connaughton, short; Hamilton and Crum, outfielders. If Deal does not go to Minneapolis Calhoun will play third. Toledo claims the Allegheny boy. Hamilton will sign more catchers, pitchers and outfielders.

AMATEUR BASEBALL GOSSIP.

The Nationals of Allegheny will meet Sunday, January 22, at 2 o'clock, at William Apple's home, 1304 East street, Allegheny. The following players are to attend: Capt. Kelley, Douglas, White, Bailey, McKee, Curtiss, Apple, Bambauch, Brehm, Dyke, J. Love and E. Love.

The Allegheny Amateurs met last night. A. Fosnot, formerly of Shadyside, will look after the managing part, and James Shoemaker of the Brighton A. C. will captain the team. For games address A. Fosnot, 2229 Chartiers street, Allegheny.

The Chamberlain A. C. will have a strong team. Dillinger of last year's Cornell A. C., and Bobby Wallace, late of the Verner A. C., will be the new pitchers. The line up: Bartley and Downey, catchers; Larned, Dillinger and Wallace, pitchers; Naser, short; Spilker, first; Frank, second; Hall, third; Kaiser, left; Denny Partle, middle, and Milton Lasher, right field.

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GREENFIELD IS DEFEATED IN A LEAGUE CONTEST

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STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

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A. A. A.	4	0	1000
Greenfield	1	3	.250
Fairmont	1	3	.250

The Greenfield seven was beaten in a Central Amateur league game last evening, 4 to 1. The winners played good hockey, Brahsier being one of the stars in advancing the puck. Pringle shot the only goal for the losers. The line-up:

A. A. A.—4		Greenfield—1.
McKee	G.	Schroeder
Gaw	P.	Schadis
Kapple	C. P.	H. Wuerthele
Brashier	F.	Pringle
McKinney	C.	E. Wuerthele
Koch	L. W.	Roney
Seipp	R. W.	Haggerty

Goals—Koch 2, Brashier, McKinney, Pringle. Referee—Gaskell.

Manager McSwigan of Duquesne garden is hearing from the crack amateur skaters in the east who will participate in the races in the city next month. Indications point for a large gathering of the ice speed merchants. Swan, the Princeton skater, will likely again compete here.

William Hasley, the local champion, is practicing daily at the garden. He may contest in the Verona lake races.

A new 12-year-old champion will turn up this winter. Gerald Smith, who has won the title for the past few years, is barred. Smith has always outclassed his fields, but there was a suspicion that he out-aged his competitors.

The management of the Four A team of the Central Amateur league writes The Gazette as follows:

"A statement recently appeared that the 'Champion Irving Hockey club and Silver Lake would meet in a series of games to decide the championship of the city.' The item failed to give any reason for the claims of these clubs to play for any championship. If the games are to decide the supremacy of the two clubs mentioned, well and good, but 'to decide the championship of Pittsburgh' will surely, among the amateur teams hereabouts who feel they have as good a claim and as much a right to play for the honor as the Irvings or Silver Lakes. The Four A Hockey club, although leaders of the Central league last year, and undefeated this year, makes no claims of being champions of any league, but it disputes the right of the Irvings to play for the championship of the city against a team that has played but one game this season. Four A has played four games this season, winning them all, and has shot 23 goals while its opponents have scored but one. When compared with the record of the 'championship aspirants' this record speaks for itself. It is not the intention of the Four As to criticise or detract in any way from the record or the reputation of the teams mentioned, who number among their players some of the best amateurs in the city, but it wishes it understood that when the championship of the city is talked of its record of this year and last year makes it at least eligible to compete."

Oakland defeated the Jones & Laughlins in a hockey game last evening, 8 to 0. The line-up:

Oakland—8.		J. & L.—0.
B. Clarke	Goal	McDevitt
A. B. Clarke	Point	E. Ward
H. Prichard	Cover Point	Dougherty
Johns	Rover	Douglas
W. Prichard	Center	Drysdale
Howell	Right wing	A. Ward
McCaskey	Left wing	Dowling

Goals—Johns 3, McCaskey 2, W. Prichard 3. Referee—Brachear.

LIBERTY BEATEN BY TROY HILL

Aspirants for Championship Treated to a Surprise and Dropped Three Games.

MANY GAMES WERE ROLLED

The defeat of the Liberty team was the leading event in local bowling circles last night. Liberty has had championship aspirations in the County league, and the games with the Troy Hill team were looked upon to boost Liberty up the ladder. The Troy Hill team, however, sprung a surprise by bowling its best games of the season with the result that Liberty was beaten in all three games. Seibel of Liberty was high score. The scores:

Troy Hill—			
C. C. Vey	135	175	148
Devore	189	169	168
Stehle	193	183	198
Denny	171	143	189
Kappler	165	175	180
Totals	853	841	883
Liberty—			
Loberg	173	155	189
Seibel	204	184	151
Meyers	151	154	164
Marbach	145	188	160
Heller	154	139	157
Totals	824	770	851

In the City league the Millvale and Birmingham teams met on the Millvale alleys and the home team proved victor in all three games. The scores:

Millvale—			
Susostius	198	145	167
Veard	160	171	188
Hickey	146	151	132
Jackson	157	169	142
Thomas	196	164	172
Totals	857	800	782
Birmingham—			
Hirsch	165	139	183
Yochum	132	...	...
Fesgold	...	120	143
Young	160	175	132
Dapper	155	180	123
Stock	157	156	155
Totals	768	770	736

But one game was bowled last night in the Diocesan league and that was between the St. Charles and St. Anthony teams, in which the latter proved victor, taking two games. A. Seidt with 227 was high score. The scores:

St. Charles—			
Sivent	178	173	191
J. Toll	148	...	...
J. Block	...	150	162
J. Gillig	166	124	136
Fers	162	204	203
M. Gillig	169	128	197
Totals	825	777	827
St. Anthony—			
S. Serie	190	159	140
A. Seidt	169	154	227
Schwab	143	160	113
Gibner	206	139	172
H. Seidt	134	173	158
Totals	842	801	814

In an exhibition game on the Social alleys the Loupurex team took three games from the Colonials. Scores:

Colonials—			
J. Beck	100	110	97
Knox	126	122	125
B. Beck	103	118	113
Fairbough	91	109	145
Gillespie	142	112	99
Totals	562	571	577
Loupurex—			
Feiter	112	82	89
Miller	134	108	165
Hergenroeder	165	138	159
Schronz	101	104	132
Bowmag	143	118	112
Totals	655	590	[illegible]

The last three games of a series of nine at duck pins were played on the Edgeworth alleys between the Brighton club and the Edgeworth team. The Brighton team won the series by the close margin of 30 pins, the total number of pins counting. A match is to be arranged for $500 a side on neutral alleys. Following are the scores for last night's play:

Brighton—			
Davidson	104	93	87
Grubbs	97	102	92
Ralston	101	97	97
Miller	101	91	92
Jarvis	97	90	91
Edgeworth—			
Nevin	101	98	93
Shaw	93	97	98
McClurg	129	88	94
Blair	94	100	98
Hergberger	97	90	100

The Millvale bowling team will roll a match of three games this evening with the Old Guard of Washington at Washington tonight.

Rival Clubs Divide Honors.

LONG BRANCH, N. J., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Two races were sailed today for the Wentz cup, the two South Shrewsbury clubs dividing honors. The Hazel L. winning the first and the Eagle the second. The Mildred and the Hazel L., of the South Shrewsbury club, have each won two legs for the cup, and the Eagle and the Sweetheart, of the Shrewsbury club, one each.

LONG SHOTS PROVED GOOD FOR THE BOOKS

Favorites Went Down in a Race at New Orleans—Fifty-to-One Shot a Winner.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 19.—Heavy rain during the night made the track muddy today. Each favorite went down in turn and the books reaped a harvest. Lord French, at 50 to 1, just managed to last long enough to win his race. Trapper, regarded by many as the best of the Derby candidates thus far shown, was a strong favorite in the fourth race, but performed so poorly that the stewards ordered the refusal of his entry in future for inconsistency. The colt will be allowed to fulfill his stake engagements. Summaries:

First race, 5 furlongs—Blow Pole, 102, Nicol, 4 to 1, won; Simplicity, 104, H. Phillips, 7 to 5, second; Queen Esther, 102, Robbins, 60 to 1, third. Time, 1:03 3-5.

Second race, 1 mile—Merry Acrobat, 125, Baird, 3 to 1, won; Decoration, 112, Cocolo, 10 to 1, second; Misanthorpe, 105, Nicol, 9 to 10, third. Time, 1:48.

Third race, 6 furlongs—Lord French, 102, Robbins, 50 to 1, won; Fruit, 86, Aubuchon, 18 to 5, second; King Rose, 105, J. McIntyre, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:17 4-5.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs—Matador, 99, Nicol, 9 to 2, won; St. Tammany, 110, J. Martin, 3 to 1, second; Trapper, 105, H. Phillips, 9 to 10, third. Time, 1:1e 3-5.

Fifth race, 3½ furlongs—Jim McGinnis, 110, J. Hennessy, 30 to 1, won; Verdant, 110, Dominick, 7 to 10, second; Blue Grass Lad, 110, T. Dean, 10 to 1, third. Time, :44 4-5.

Sixth race, 1⅛ miles—Semper Vivax, 103, Cocolo, 30 to 1, won; Maj. Halon, 110, Gannon, 15 to 5, second; Lou M., 93, J. Hennessy, 12 to 1, third. Time, 2:00 4-5.

Yost to Join the Confab.

MORGANTOWN, W. VA., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Harris Yost left today for New York and Boston, where he expects to talk over football rules with eastern experts. In New York he will be the guest of the Michigan university club at a banquet. Yale representatives will be there, and an effort will be made to arrange a game between the two teams for next season. Yost says there is little chance that the game will be arranged.

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West Virginia Senate Passes House Resolution—Bill Excluding Lobbyists Lost.

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[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Jan. 19.—The resolution in the house aimed at excluding lobbyists from the floor died early in its career, being declared out of order by the speaker when it came up today.

When the bill making the auditor statutory attorney for non-resident corporations chartered in this state and turning the fees into the state treasury came up in the house, there was a fight to prevent its reference to a committee, which failed. A similar bill passed the house last session, but was defeated in the senate. As the case now stands the secretary of state is the statutory attorney and the fees go into his own pocket. Of late years this alone has provided a tremendous revenue to that state official.

The senate today passed the house joint resolution providing for a "stand pat" attitude on the tariff. For this attitude, in a sense, Senator Scott is mainly responsible. The Democrats introduced a resolution commending President Roosevelt's attitude on tariff revision, and, when the Republicans ignored it, twitted them on their refusal to indorse the president.

The house committee today reported favorably on the dispensary bill, as predicted in The Gazette this morning, to the further consternation of the liquor element. This bill is antagonized by both the liquor men and the organized temperance societies, yet the idea appears to have developed great strength.

The indications are that there will be further corporation legislation, although the lines on which it will be proposed have not yet been laid down.

Governor and Mrs. White tonight received the members of the legislature at the executive mansion in one of the most brilliant social functions ever held in Charleston.

WOMEN WORKERS MEET.

Methodist Episcopal Home Missionary Society in Conference—Encouraging Reports Are Read.

The semi-annual meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the Pittsburgh conference of the Methodist Episcopal church was held yesterday in the North Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, Allegheny. Sessions were held in the morning and afternoon, attended by delegates from the Allegheny, Pittsburgh, Blairsville, McKeesport and Washington districts. Mrs. C. L. Smith presided at both sessions.

At the morning session reports of committees were read, all of which were encouraging. The treasurer's report showed receipts for the past six months of $5,619.

At the afternoon session Dr. F. N. Boyle spoke on the E. A. Bradley Memorial Home for Homeless Children at Hulton station. He stated that the endowment fund for the home of $15,000 had all been raised except $1,500, most of which is due from the Allegheny district. He expects the $1,500 to be raised, however, by May 1, and if so the home will be opened at that time. He also spoke encouragingly of the mission work being conducted among the Italians of Pittsburgh. During the meeting $310 was subscribed to the Bradley Memorial home fund, and this leaves about $1,200 yet to be raised.

The Rev. A. D. Mechlile, the Italian home missionary, told of his work among the Italians in the hill district of Pittsburgh. He said he is meeting with great encouragement. He and his wife are forming a church and they have already a good night school, a Sunday school and a sewing school for girls.

Pittsburgh branch No. 1 of the Christian and Missionary alliance will hold the midwinter convention in Carnegie music hall, Allegheny, from January 23 to 29. Three sessions will be held daily, and prominent speakers have been secured from all sections of the country.

Members of the East End branch of the Women's Christian Temperance union of Allegheny county have begun to place Bibles and scriptural tracts in racks in saloons, poolrooms and shooting galleries along Penn avenue between Negley avenue and Station street. Carbarns are to be similarly equipped. Mrs. J. B. Masters, superintendent of the branch, recently canvassed the district, asking permission to do so, and was denied only by one saloonkeeper.

The Rev. Dr. Charles W. Smith, editor of the Pittsburgh Christian Advocate, will preach the sermon at a memorial service to the late President McKinley to be held on Sunday, January 29, in the First Methodist Episcopal church, Canton, O. The service is commemorative of the birth of the late president. Dr. Smith was at one time President McKinley's pastor.

H. J. Heinz entertained 62 superintendents and officers of the Allegheny County Sabbath School association at luncheon yesterday noon. A business session followed when plans were discussed for the annual convention, which is to be held on May 9.

PROGRAM IS BRILLIANT.

Third Popular Orchestra Program Contains Many Interesting Novelties. Kreisler the Star.

Emil Paur, conductor of the Pittsburgh orchestra, will conduct the third popular program in the orchestra series for this season tonight and tomorrow afternoon. Great local interest rests in these concerts because of the first performance of two movements from Arthur Nevin's Indian opera, "Poia," the other orchestral selections include a charming overture by Auber, the entire "L'Arlesienne Suite No. 1," by Bizet, and Rubinstein's "Waltz Caprice," altogether a brilliant list.

Two soloists will co-operate, Fritz Kreisler, violinist, and Wenzel Jiskra, double bass player. No violinist visits Pittsburgh who has a warmer welcome or who is more highly esteemed than Kreisler. The Bach concerto, which he will play, will be heard for the first time in Pittsburgh; the accompaniment calls for string orchestra and organ.

The other soloist is Wenzel Jiskra, whom Mr. Paur brought to this country from Europe to take the position of leading bass player with the orchestra. A concert piece for double bass is a distinct innovation at these concerts and is quite without a parallel in recent years in the record of concert orchestras of this country.

Brighton Country Club to Entertain.

The Brighton Country club will give a musicale next Tuesday evening in its rooms in Brighton road. The following is the program:

"Dorothy," Swabian Folk Song.....
Miss Eastman, Miss Lang, Mr. Day, Mr. Cutter.
"Le Cor," .....Flegier
Mr. Cutter.
"Erlkonig" .....Schubert
Miss Eastman.
"Kamenoi-Ostrow" .....Rubinstein
Miss Genet.
"Die Hellesonne Leuchtet" .....Gericke
Mr. Day.
"Schwer Liegt Auf Dem Herzen .....
.....A. Goring Thomas
Frank Moore-Western.
"My Love Is Like a Red, Red Rose" .....
Miss Eastman, Miss Lang, Mr. Day, Mr. Cutter.
"Sleeping Visions" .....Massenet
Mr. Roberts.
"A May Song" .....A. Marianne Genet
Miss Eastman. Accompanied and the Composer.
(a) "Mine," (b) "Send Me a Lover, St. Valentine" .....Max Bendix
Miss Lang.
"Abschied der Vogle," .....Eugene Hildach
Miss Eastman, Mr. Roberts.
"Hush Ye, My Baby" .....
Miss Eastman, Miss Lang, Mr. Day, Mr. Cutter.

Mrs. Hobart to Attend Banquet.

CANTON, Jan. 19.—Mrs. Garret A. Hobart and son Garret A. Hobart, Jr., have accepted invitations to attend the banquet in honor of McKinley's birthday in this city on the evening of January 31. Mrs. McKinley will occupy a box in the banquet hall with a party of friends, which will include Mrs. Hobart. Justice William R. Day will be toastmaster.

SOCIETY

YESTERDAY'S links in the chain of social affairs being given for Mrs. Louis Ezekiel Stoddard included Mrs. Harmar D. Denny's bridge party in the afternoon and a similar entertainment at which Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Rhodes were host and hostess in the evening, and at which Mr. Stoddard shared the honors. Twelve tables were called into play in the afternoon, when Mrs. Denny entertained at her home in Ridge avenue, Allegheny, and at each table there was a prize—a beautiful little piece of bric-a-brac in Dutch silver. They were captured by Mrs. Stoddard, Miss Jeannette Hawkins and her guest, Miss Ayers; Mrs. Henry Lafayette Collins, Miss Margaretta Wood, Mrs. J. Bissell Speer, Miss Marion Chambers, Mrs. George M. Laughlin, Jr., Mrs. Charles Marshall Brown, Mrs. Henry Chalfant, Mrs. B. F. Jones, Jr., and Miss Willa Forsythe. At the close of the games refreshments were served, Mrs. Harry Darlington presiding over the tea table and Mrs. J. Denniston Lyon pouring chocolate. The rooms were all simply decorated with vases of yellow tulips, fresia and mignonette and the same blossoms were used on the tea table.

Five tables were used at the evening's entertainment. The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. Stoddard, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ricketson, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. William C. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Stewart, William B. Scaife, Miss Marguerite Singer, Miss Madeline F. Laughlin, Miss Marion Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. James Harold Childs, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll H. Fitzhugh, Miss Mary Rhodes, Thomas O'Conner Jones and Dallas C. Byers. An informal supper followed the games.

Some Future Events.

Mrs. David T. Watson of Ridge avenue, Allegheny, will enter the list of hostesses on Tuesday, January 31, and Wednesday, February 1, when she will give bridge whist parties of eight and nine tables. There will be no special guest of honor.

Mrs. J. L. Dawson Speer of Bidwell street has invitations out for a bridge party next Tuesday afternoon at her home.

Mrs. William Nimick Frew will entertain with a dinner at her home, "Beechwood Hall," next Monday evening.

Mrs. Harmar D. Denny will be hostess at a bridge party on Friday afternoon and again on the evening of Tuesday, January 31.

Mrs. Charles Stephen Hill is to give a dinner tomorrow evening in honor of Miss Caroline Eugenia Heberton, whose marriage to Davenport Plumer of Germantown will be an event of next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac W. Frank of Irwin avenue, Squirrel Hill, will entertain with a dance on Thursday evening, January 26, in the Concordia club. The affair is in honor of Miss Dessia Frank, daughter of the host and hostess, who is a debutante of this season.

Miss Myrtle Price of South Negley avenue will give a large card party this evening for her house guest and former roommate at the National Park seminary, Miss Celeste Downey of Princeton, Ind.

Mrs. Harry H. Willock of Oakmont has invitations for a luncheon next Thursday afternoon.

Cards are out for the opening of the new bowling alley in the Oakmont Boat club, to be attended by a reception tomorrow evening.

Miss Pallie McKinley will give an informal 4 o'clock tea at her home in Craig street next Thursday.

Smith-Cunningham.

The Rev. John A. Henderson, pastor of the Third United Presbyterian church of Allegheny, officiated last evening at the wedding of Miss Elizabeth Hays Smith and James Latham Cunningham, which was a home event. The bride, who is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Smith of Fayette street, Allegheny, was attended by Miss Clara Smith and Miss Willia Cunningham as bridesmaids. John M. Henry of Elmira, N. Y., was best man, and the party was completed by the ushers, C. G. Branigan of Davenport, Ia., and E. M. Jones of Altoona. Mr. Smith gave his daughter away and immediately after the reception and wedding supper the bridal couple left for an eastern tour. They have announced at home days in Columbia, Pa., after February 1.

To Meet a Recent Bride.

The disagreeable weather was entirely forgotten by those who were the guests of Mrs. Charles Stephen Hill of Bayard street yesterday afternoon. It was the occasion of the tea at which Mrs. Hill was hostess to meet her new daughter-in-law, Mrs. Charles Phillips Hill, who was Miss Katherine Mortimer Montague of Baltimore before her marriage a short time ago. From 3 until 8 o'clock the hostess and her guest of honor greeted their friends, and in true southern fashion dispensed their hospitality. The aids included Mrs. Asa P. Childs, Mrs. Bruce Milland and Mrs. George A. Benney. Mrs. Hill had expected Mrs. Basil Gordon of Baltimore to receive with her, but owing to illness, Mrs. Gordon was not present. She is a sister of Mrs. C. P. Hill.

Chase-Layng.

GREENVILLE, Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Miss Belle K. Chase, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gorton B. Chase, and Frank R. S. Layng, formerly of Pittsburgh, were married at the home of the bride in Greenville this afternoon by the Rev. Dr. S. M. Gordon of the Methodist Episcopal church. There were no attendants. Mr. and Mrs. Layng left for Florida this evening, and on their return will live here. Among the guests were E. T. Layng and J. F. Layng of Pittsburgh, brothers of the groom, and George T. Barnsley, Guy M. Gray and Mrs. H. D. Mason and son of Pittsburgh; Mrs. E. G. Caughey of Butler, Mrs. M. M. Fordhope of Salem, O.; the Misses Beyer, Punxsutawney; Miss Lara Seacrist and Miss Elizabeth McAllister, West Newton.

First Reception of Harmony Club.

The Harmony club, a new organization of Jewish men, gave its first social affair in the ballroom of the Hotel Schenley last evening. It was a dance conducted without any figures. Supper was served in the dining room adjoining the big ballroom. The officers of the club are: President, Harry Strvan; treasurer, Meyer Rosenthal; secretary, Samuel Osgood. Early in March the club members expect to take possession of an old 20-room mansion on the Maegele property in Fifth avenue, Oakland, which will be remodeled to serve as a club house, where all future social affairs will be held.

Mother and Daughter Receive Together.

Mrs. James B. Hallman received with her mother, Mrs. Joseph R. Woodwell, at the tea the latter gave at her home in Penn avenue yesterday afternoon from 4 until 6 o'clock. Among those who had been asked to assist were Mrs. William J. Holland, Mrs. Francis Sellers, Miss Sellers, Mrs. Reuben Miller, Mrs. Frank Semple Bissell, Mrs. Louis W. Dalzell, Mrs. William Nimick Frew, Mrs. Henry Clay Bughman, Miss Mary Louise Jackson, Mrs. George W. Hallman, Mrs. Henry Clay Frick and Mrs. William Carr.

Had Four Honor Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Jennings will give a theater party at the Nixon on Friday evening for Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Murphy of Johnstown and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Passavant of Philadelphia, who are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alexander Rook of Ellsworth avenue. Miss Katherine Young of Shady avenue will entertain at luncheon on Saturday for the women of the house party. Last evening Mr. and Mrs. Rook gave a euchre party of 15 tables for their guests.

Have Rented a Florida Cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McKnight Speer, who were married last month, have rented a cottage in Zellwood, Fla., where they will remain until early in February. They have also gone farther south at different times, having taken houseboat trips on the rivers. Mrs. John Z. Speer, Mr. Speer's mother, will leave Pittsburgh a week from Sunday for Florida, and during her absence the bridal couple will occupy "Waverly Cottage," her residence in Dallas avenue, beyond Point Breeze.

Many Guests at Bridge Party.

Miss Florence Murdoch and Miss Katherina Murdoch gave a delightful card party yesterday afternoon in the Pittsburgh Golf club. The guests surrounded 21 tables, bridge being the game played. The prizes, of which there was one for each table, were beautiful Persian scarfs. Mrs. James B. Murdoch, mother of the two hostesses, and Mrs. J. Moorhead, their sister-in-law, received with them.

Giving a Series of Dinners.

One in the series of little dinners which Mr. and Mrs. William Speer Kuhn are giving, took place at their home in Morewood avenue last evening. Covers were laid for 16. On Tuesday and Thursday of next week Mr. and Mrs. Kuhn will again entertain at dinner, and one similar entertainment during the following week will complete the series.

Bride-Elect Is Honor Guest.

Miss Florence Belt Kitzmiller, a bride-elect of the coming week, was the guest for whom Mrs. Edward Moreland of East End avenue entertained at luncheon yesterday. Covers were laid for those who will attend Miss Kitzmiller at her wedding to Dr. Albert Ralston Matheny on Tuesday, and also for Mrs. E. M. Corwin.

Notes of Society.

Mrs. Franklin E. Nicola gave the second in her series of luncheons at her home in Amberson avenue yesterday.

Mrs. Harry W. Reeves of Beaver Falls is the guest of the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Weyand of Miller street, Knoxville.

Miss Henrietta Wise of Oakland entertained last evening in honor of her guest, Miss Mae Lefkowitz of Cleveland, O.

Miss Dorothy Kallock of North Fairmont avenue entertained the members of the Bon Homme club at euchre on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Alfred B. Harlow was the hostess at an informal fancy work and card party at her home in Sewickley yesterday afternoon. The guest of honor was Mrs. George Carpenter of Philadelphia, who is a guest at the home of Mrs. William Parry.

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AMONG THE CLUBS

THE Library committee of the Young Women's Christian association gave a delightful reception and musicale last evening in the assembly rooms. Several of the girls who appreciate the library came dressed to represent books and added much to the pleasure of the entertainment. Miss Phoebe Bardsley represented "Lavender and Old Lace," Miss Celia Smith, "Tillie the Mennonite;" Miss Katherine Dennison, "In the Golden Days;" Miss Ellen Hills, "The Lilac Sunbonnet;" Miss Marjorie Hills, "Laelie;" Miss Morrow, "The Old-Fashioned Girl;" Miss Harwick, "Ten Times One Are Ten;" Miss Reed, "Hearts in Exile;" Miss Edna McKee, "American Notes;" Miss Young, "Pickwick Papers;" Miss Wilson, "The Rose in Bloom;" Miss Thomas, "The White Apron;" Miss Irene Carlyle, "The Bow of Orange Ribbon," and Miss Evans, "Under Two Flags." James W. McAllister represented the book, "She," and Robert L. Cook the "Essay on Man." The reception committee included Miss Florence Brown, the secretary, and Miss Sarh McIlwaine, the librarian. In the book guessing contest Miss Sarah Shaw of Bellevue won the first prize. Mrs. J. S. Evans presided over the musical program, Miss Mary Riddle, Miss Maude A. Madden, Miss Emma Foltz, Miss Emma Grace Horn, Lois E. Vierheller and Miss Alice Stephense contributing. There was a large attendance, and after the program, refreshments were served. A silver offering was taken for books.

Chicken and Waffles Served.

The Young Ladies' Missionary society of the Point Breeze Presbyterian church gave a chicken and waffle supper last night at the church. Mrs. David P. Black was general chairman of the affair, assisted by Mrs. David McK. Lloyd, Mrs. Frank Slocum and Mrs. Thomas B. McKaig. At the first table were Mrs. Samuel Woods, chairman; Mrs. William H. Keller, assistant; aids, Miss Alice Thomas, Miss Elizabeth Berger, Miss Rebecca Marchand. Second table, Mrs. Samuel Irvine, chairman; Mrs. Frederick Wooldridge, assistant; aids, Miss Florence Geyer, Miss Hesale Cannon, Miss Agnes Irvine. Third table, Mrs. William Peebles, chairman; Miss Gertrude Mapis, assistant; aids, Miss Marjorie Maple, Miss Elsie McCutcheon, Miss Marie Blackmore. Fourth table, Mrs. Harry Letsche, chairman; Miss Mary Lloyd, assistant; aids, Miss Lucy Connell, Miss Jeannette Bell and Miss Kelichner. Fifth table, Mrs. J. C. Gray, chairman; Miss Katherine Wilson, assistant; aids, Miss Myrtle Newton, Miss Frances Gray, Miss Katherine Bovard. Sixth table, Miss H. F. McClintock, chairman; Miss Margaret Hallock, assistant; aids, Miss Elsie Coe, Miss Florence John, Miss Agnes Geyer, Miss Jennie McCance, Miss Jane Lloyd, Miss Rachel Thomas and Miss Edith Gray were in charge of the candy booth. In charge of the ice cream parlor were Miss Janet Harmount, Miss Jane Peebles, Miss Irene White, Miss Pearl Bentle and Miss Hester Oliver.

Another Week of Matinees.

The Soho bath committee is to be given another week in which to sell tickets for the bath movement. The work has proved extremely successful. Next week the play at the Alvin will be "The Frisky Mrs. Johnson," and tickets for afternoon and evening performances every day except Saturday can be purchased from the downtown stores or directly from the committee. Mrs. Jesse H. Carey, who has managed two theater parties of 50 each, will take 100 reserved seat tickets for next Wednesday's matinee and 50 tickets for the Friday evening performance. These may be secured from her by telephone. Among those present yesterday afternoon in her party were Mrs. A. E. Siegel, Mrs. J. A. Wilson, Mrs. H. S. Burroughs, Mrs. William Nimick, Miss Annie Siegel, Mrs. N. S. Sloan, Mrs. Davis Reese, Mrs. Emil Swenson, Miss Edith Lowry, Mrs. Lloyd, Mrs. Charles Miller, Mrs. E. C. Gripp, Mrs. George Coburn, Mrs. George Abel, Miss Ida Abel, Mrs. Gardener, Mrs. J. S. McIntyre, Mrs. George Dunn, Mrs. Edmundson, Mrs. William Leigh and Mrs. Miller. Mrs. J. H. Carlin entertained a party of five, Mrs. Munroe, Miss Montooth, Miss Mary Montooth, Mrs. H. E. Smythe, the Misses Edmundson, Mrs. H. C. Fish, Mrs. J. Easler, Mrs. Graham, Mrs. W. W. Kiefer, Mrs. F. C. Hockensmith and Miss Millie Hockensmith.

L'Apres Midi Francaise Meets.

The French club, L'Apres Midi Francaise, met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mme. Raymond Gros in Walnut street. The guests were informally entertained by charades and the game of lotto. The conversation was chiefly about the French province "Normandie," and a paper was also read by Mrs. Louis Reiheman on the "Island of Martinique." The members present were Mrs. Charles Ashley, Mrs. G. Afelder, Mrs. A. C. Dinkey, Miss T. Carson, Miss H. Card, Mrs. H. W. Breneman, Mrs. A. R. Bingham, Miss M. Ruhn, Miss Mary Smith, Miss C. Wallace, Mrs. G. Tucker, Mrs. Louis Reineman, Mrs. G. Wurzell, Mrs. N. Schamburg and Miss B. Silverman.

Vassar Students' Aid Society.

The regular meeting of the Vassar Students' Aid society will meet today in the home of Mrs. W. P. DeArmit in Murray Hill avenue at 3 o'clock.

Club Notes.

Mrs. David Kirk conducted the drama study class yesterday in the Twentieth Century club.

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Farms.

FOR SALE—Beautiful level farm of 150 acres; fronts on street car line; adjoining Niles.
Also fine 20-acre farm near street car line and town; all stock, implements, go with this farm.
I have a number of farms suitable for fruit, poultry and gardening. My free list fully describes all these farms, giving prices and terms. S. W. Wilson, Niles, Ohio.

Manufacturing Sites.

VERNER REALTY COMPANY,

Near M'KEESPORT, 65-acre farm on Youghiogheny river, P., McK. & Y. R. R. and macadamized county road runs through and trolley line runs near property; one new 10-room house and one old farm house; also good stone quarry on this place; lays nice and is admirably adapted for manufacturing plants and town site. Can be bought for $200 an acre less than adjoining property.
VERNER REALTY COMPANY,
504 Frick Bldg.

Business Properties.

FOR SALE, $12,500—Business house on Penn ave., near Twelfth st. Full information from COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE CO.,
327-329 Fourth ave.

Coal Lands.

FOR SALE—Panhandle coal, directly on the railroad, self-draining, tipple high, 300 acres. Only 20 per cent cash. Balance on very long time. This is a specially fine property at a great bargain.
BLACK & BAIRD,
Farmers Bank Bldg.

Lots.

FINEST lot at Conneaut Lake, Pa., $1,000 cash; inquire at room 23, Hotel Neary, before 10 o'clock a. m. Otherwise address E. T. Lashells, Meadville, Pa., P. O. Box 547.

For Sale or Exchange.

200 NICE LEVEL building lots in East McKeesport, clear for improved; will assume mortgage.
49 ACRES adjoining Wilmerding; 5 minutes' walk from Westinghouse works; suitable for laying out in lots; trade for improved.
SIX-ROOMED frame, all improvements, large cor. lot; rents $20 00 a month. Price $3,000, mortgage $1,000. Trade for wheel hardware.
L. F. DAUMS,
East McKeesport, Pa.

FOR EXCHANGE—Vacant lots for large gasoline yacht or small stern wheel steamboat. Address box 172, Elizabeth, Pa.

Mortgage Loans.

VERNER REALTY CO.,
MONEY TO LOAN ON MORTGAGES.
VERNER REALTY CO.,
504 Frick Bldg.

MONEY ON REAL ESTATE — Mortgages wanted on improved real estate in city or suburbs.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 FOURTH AVE.

$500,000 to loan, 4½ to 5 per cent; mortgages or collateral; private party. P. O. Box 683.

INDIVIDUAL LOANS on second mortgages; also 4½, 5 and 6 per cent on first mortgages. P. O. box 1093.

MONEY TO LOAN ON EASY TERMS.
B. B. BLACK, 248 Fourth ave.

BARRELS OF CHEAP MONEY TO LOAN.
JOHN K. EWING & CO., 248 Fourth ave.

Business Opportunities.

BUSINESS—We buy and sell all kinds of business everywhere; will organize your business into a corporation or a stock company and sell your stock; we guarantee stocks and bonds; secure partners for established business; we furnish capital to extend business; no schemes entertained; correspondence solicited; all our transactions are strictly confidential.
JOHN R. CAVANAGH & CO.,
608-609 Keystone Bldg., 324 Fourth ave.

ROOMING HOUSE—10 completely and well furnished rooms; in one of the best locations in Alleghany; catering to first-class people and getting big prices; income from house is $250 a month; rent $70; on account of sickness must be sold; this house is clearing over $1,000 a year. Price.....$700
HOWICK-THOMPSON CO.,
616 Times Bldg. 336 Fourth ave.

GROCERY STORE—Located in Friendship Park district; full, fresh stock; store is nicely kept; doing a business of $100 to $125 a week, mostly all cash; nice store room and dwelling and stable; rent $21. This is an excellent business and can be bought for just what it cost to put in goods—$800, or invoice.
HOWICK-THOMPSON CO.,
616 Times bldg. 336 Fourth ave.

I WANT to correspond with persons who can invest from $100 to $1,000 in a mining enterprise that will pay 100 per cent annual dividends on the investment. I can give you proof positive.
A. W. CUNNINGHAM,
WACO, TEX.

SALOON—Located 44 miles from Pittsburgh. This place is fitted up with the best of fixtures, cash register; doing a business of $150 to $175 a week and clearing not less than $500 a month; can give a good lease. Price.....$1,750
HOWICK-THOMPSON CO.,
616 Times bldg. 336 Fourth ave.

LAUNDRY—In nearby town, 2 horses, 2 wagons; capacity $250 week; doing business $150 week; rent $20 mo.; long lease; price $1,800; will take part real estate.
CAVANAGH & CO., 431 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—Shoe store in best business square of busy city of New Castle, Pa. Stock and fixtures will invoice between $5,000 and $6,000. City Shoe Store, New Castle, Pa.

WE can sell your business, no matter what it is, or where it is. HOWICK-THOMPSON Co., 336 Fourth ave., office 616 Times bldg.

FOR SALE—Bottling works with an established trade; have done good business. Apply 830 Banoni ave., Fairmont, W. Va.

FOR SALE—Business stand $400. Call 624 E. Ohio st., Allegheny.

IF YOU WANT to buy or sell any kind of business, see CAVANAGH & CO., 431 Fourth ave.

IF YOU want to buy or sell a business, see MILLER & HOWARD, 431 Fourth ave.

MEAT MARKET—For sale, fixtures all new; a bargain. Call 1815 Center ave.

Machinery.

PUMPS.
All sizes and for every service, now in stock.
20x14x25" Worthington duplex.
20x8x16" Canton duplex.
13½x10x10" Smith-Vaile duplex.
18x8x18" Worthington duplex.
18x8½x10" Worthington duplex.
14x17x15" Worthington duplex.
12x8x10" Gordon duplex.
12x4½x10" Worthington duplex.
Above is a small part of our stock. Ask for list.
Also Boilers, Engines, Feed Water Heaters, etc.
WICKES BROTHERS,
45th st. and A. V. Ry. Both 'phones.

WE SELL ENGINES AND BOILERS
For any purpose. All sizes from 2 h. p. up. Here are some of our bargains:
SECOND-HAND LIST.
One 7 h. p. Lazier Gas Engine.
One 15 h. p. Champion Gas Engine.
One 60-inch Cupola Blower.
Agents for the famous Fairbanks, Morse & Co. Gas and Gasoline Engines, Dynamos, Motors and Steam Pumps. Private Pumping and Electric Light Outfits a specialty.
TRANTER MANUFACTURING CO.,
105 Water st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

LOOK US UP. Call us up. We are always on the end of the line to look after your wants. New and second-hand gas engines and dynamos; all sizes; shafting, hangers and pulleys. All work under supervision of A No. 1 machinist. Try us with your next work.

EMPIRE MACHINE WORKS.
Factory 219 Third ave. Office 511 Empire Bldg. 'Phone 583 Court.

FOR SALE—Boilers and engines, all sizes, from 3 to 125-H. P., stationary and portable upright boilers and engines, large assortment kept in stock, shafting, pulleys and hangers and large lot miscellaneous machinery, second-hand belting, leather and rubber; large stock of all sizes at low prices; machinery of all kinds bought and exchanged.
JOHN S. YOUNG,
108-110 Park way, Allegheny, Pa.

FOR SALE.

Machinery.

FOR SALE—Gas engines, gasoline; complete gasoline yachts; vertical and horizontal, all sizes. Pumping engines, all purposes, 1-6 H. P. F. & M., 1-10 H. P. Clark.
316—THE FAIRBANKS CO.—318 Second ave.

Horses and Vehicles.

HORSES.
At our regular Monday's auction we will sell the following:

Chas. E. Warrick, Rushville, Ind.	20 head
Jas. Barber, New Rose, Ind.	20 head
Elmer Johnson, Decatur, Ind.	25 head
James Carr, Sewickley, Pa.	10 head
Wm. Creech, Pittsburgh, Pa.	5 head
W. Connor, Pittsburgh, Pa.	6 head
St. Scott, Steubenville, O.	10 head

And many local consignors will have from 1 to 5 head each.
RIVERSIDE SALES STABLES,
NORTH END SIXTH ST. BRIDGE,
ALLEGHENY, PA.

HORSES
WANTED—We want to buy 100 head of all kinds of horses. If you have anything to dispose of bring them here and get the cash.
RIVERSIDE SALES STABLES,
North End Sixth Street Bridge,
Allegheny, Pa.

A GREAT bargain in a three-quarter coach, new, will take small payment down and give long time on balance; will take in old vehicle for part payment. Address R 104, The Gazette.

FOR SALE—Wagon, horse and harness. Take small payment down and give long time on balance. Address S 104, The Gazette.

I HAVE a furniture wagon that I wish to sell, and will take out part in furniture. Address M 104, The Gazette.

HAVE an elegant grocery wagon, almost new, and take two-thirds in groceries. Address O 104, The Gazette.

WILL paint and repair your vehicle and take old vehicle in exchange. Address N 104, The Gazette.

WILL trade a wagon or any kind of vehicle for carpenter work. Address P 104, The Gazette.

Sewing Machines.

SPECIAL attention to SEWING MACHINE REPAIRING by first-class workmen; GENUINE needles, attachments and parts for ALL MAKES. LOWEST PRICES; all work GUARANTEED.
CARTER SEWING MACHINE CO.,
131 Sixth st., next Bijou. 3240-J Grant.

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WIDOW will sacrifice elegant upright piano very cheap. Address T 217, The Gazette.

Safes.

SAFES bought, sold and exchanged.
W. PRAGER, 110 Market st.

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FOR SALE—Bargains, bargains, bargains, in desks, roll top, standing, double flat top, single flat top, tables, chairs, filing cases, etc., in oak, mahogany and birch, to close out and sort up. BAKER OFFICE FURNITURE CO., 513-515 LIBERTY AVE.

FOR SALE—National Cash Register, latest model, 6-drawer machine, almost new; cost $475; will sell for $300 cash if sold before February 1. This is a bargain for any one wanting a cash register. O. J. Gross & Co., Coraopolis, Pa.

BAR FIXTURES, office, store, restaurant, bar and pool tables, chairs, desks and showcases.
DELP'S, Fourth and Liberty.

A SURE cure for sore throat, Tonsilitis is ANTI-SORE THROAT. It is guaranteed. 25c. J. W. Freeman, Derry Sta., Pa.

FOR SALE—Holstein cow; fresh; suitable for dairyman. Address be call-R. B. Shaw, Mars, Pa., R. F. D. 30.

SLOT MACHINES of every description; new and second-hand. Geo. Halsdon, 231 Diamond st., Pittsburgh.

CASE—For sale, one upright display case; high grade; cheap. Wabash Jewelry Co., 231 Diamond st.

NOTICES.

FRANKLIN LODGE NO. 321, F. & A. M.
Pittsburgh, Pa., January 19, 1905.
A special meeting of Franklin Lodge No. 321, F. & A. M., will be held in the lodgeroom on Friday, January 20, 1905, at 1:30 o'clock p. m. sharp, for the purpose of attending the funeral of Brother John G. Metzwell, Jr. Members of sister lodges are fraternally invited to meet with us. By order of the W. M.
JOHN M'KAIN,
Masonic Dress. Secretary.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed executor of the estate of Sarah C. Hays, deceased, late of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania. All persons having claims or demands against said estate shall make the same known to me without delay.
JOHN M'CLURG HAYS,
Beechwood Boulevard,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

PATENTS.

J. H. STEVENSON & CO., have moved to 908 Farmers Bank building. PATENT AND PENSION ATTORNEYS.

H. C. EVERT & CO., Patent Attorneys, 306 Smithfield st., opposite postoffice.

TRUXALL, seller and promoter of patents. 609 German Nat. Bank Bldg., Pittsburgh.

DETECTIVE AGENCIES.

THE JOY DETECTIVE AGENCY, Pittsburgh branch, No. 902 and No. 903 Lewis Block; licensed and bonded. Bell 'phone Grant No. 1294; night call, Wilkins, No. 412; high-class work at reasonable rates.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

CERTIFICATE RE-EXTENDING CHARTER.
Treasury Department,
Office of Comptroller of the Currency,
Washington, D. C., Dec. 19, 1904.
Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that the Farmers Deposit National Bank of Pittsburgh, located in the city of Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny, and state of Pennsylvania, has complied with all of the provisions of the act of congress "to enable National banking associations to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes," approved July 12, 1882, as amended by the act, approved April 12, 1902. Now, therefore, I, William B. Ridgely, comptroller of the currency, do hereby certify that the Farmers Deposit National bank of Pittsburgh, located in the city of Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny, and state of Pennsylvania, is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association, namely: until close of business on December 18, 1924.
(Seal.)
In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office this nineteenth day of December, 1904.
(Signed) WM. B. RIDGELY,
Comptroller of the Currency.

CERTIFICATE RE-EXTENDING CHARTER.
Treasury Department, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency,
Washington, D. C., January 4, 1905.
WHEREAS, By satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The Allegheny National Bank of Pittsburgh," located in the city of Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny and state of Pennsylvania, has complied with all the provisions of the act of congress, "to enable national banking associations to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes," approved July 12, 1882, as amended by the act, approved April 12, 1902.
NOW, therefore, I, Thomas P. Kane, deputy and acting comptroller of the currency, do hereby certify that The Allegheny National Bank of Pittsburgh, located in the city of Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny and state of Pennsylvania, is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association—namely, until close of business on January 4, 1925."
In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office this fourth day of January, 1905.
(SEAL.)
Signed: T. P. KANE,
Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency.

HENRY A. MILLER, Attorney-at-Law, 84 Nicholas building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on Tuesday, the 31st day of January, 1905, by James I. Buchanan, James A. Henderson, George W. C. Johnston, George M. Laughlin and George Heard, under the act of assembly, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended cor

NEW YORK STOCKS ACTIVE AND "SPOTTY"

Tractions Were Weak, Industrials Rather Heavy, and the Railroad List Irregular—Local Stocks Averaged Slightly Lower.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The New York stock market yesterday may be described as "spotty." No decided trend was noticeable at any time during the day, unless it was late in the session, when there was a general reaction, which resulted in net losses in some parts of the list and a wiping out of much of the earlier gains in other parts of the list. There was another great flourish of bull enthusiasm at the opening in Reading, and the stock was carried up to 90⅜, the highest ever quoted, and the highest level for any 3 per cent railroad stock in the market. To help along the movement a trader who is credited with having purchased between 75,000 and 100,000 shares during the past two days offered to pay 1⅛ per cent for the next dividend on 100,000 shares. This is what is called "cheap bulling" in the street. The first dividend ever declared on Reading common under the present organization was announced this month, and the next dividend period will not occur until next July, so it is a long look ahead to attempt to anticipate the declaration of the second dividend. During the first hour 100,000 shares Reading changed hands on the advance, and during the second hour another 100,000 shares changed hands on the decline to 88. Late in the afternoon the price got down to 87⅜, the final sale being at 87¾, a net gain for the day of ⅞ per cent.

Erie was another very active stock, and all issues advanced on large transactions. Ontario & Western also advanced on large transactions, and Rock Island was active, but its fluctuations were within a range of less than 1 per cent. The high-class railroad stocks were heavy. Union Pacific declined early in the day to 118⅝, but subsequently recovered the loss. Pennsylvania declined to 136⅝ on the talk of the possibility of a strike on its system, but it later recovered to 137¼ and closed at a net loss of only ¼ per cent. Baltimore & Ohio closed ½ per cent lower. Illinois Central sold off to 155¼, but closed unchanged for the day. St. Paul was feverish, finally selling off to 173⅜. Northwest advanced to 213, and closed 2½ per cent higher. A number of inactive low-priced railroad stocks displayed strength, but their movements were not significant.

Much interest was manifested in the action of the Amalgamated Copper directors on the dividend. This was not announced until after the close of the market, when it was stated that a quarterly dividend of ½ per cent and an extra dividend of ½ per cent had been declared. The stock was erratic throughout the day, advancing to 76 and declining to 74½, closing at 74⅞, a net loss of ⅝. The dividend was regarded as a disappointment, because it was not made a regular quarterly rate of 1 per cent. United States Steel issues were heavy, but closed at only slight net changes. The tractions were the weakest features in the market. Brooklyn Rapid Transit led the decline, selling off to 62½, and closing at a net loss of 1½ per cent. The cause of the decline was a report that an expert of the state railroad commission had made a special examination of the property and had estimated that the company would have to expend $20,000,000 to put the system in proper shape. Metropolitan sold off in sympathy and closed within a fraction of the lowest.

Except the conjectures regarding the outcome of the pending differences between the Pennsylvania railroad management and its employes and the action of the Amalgamated Copper directors, there was little in current news having a bearing upon the market. Call loans ran up to 3 per cent during the afternoon, but closed at 2¼ per cent, and the rate on time loans remained extremely low. The weekly statements of the Bank of England and the Bank of France were favorable, although there was a sharp decline in French rentes that was not adequately explained.

There was a little more activity in the local stock market yesterday and the business was well distributed. The tone, however, was barely steady and prices averaged lower. Manufacturers Light and Heat was again the leader, but more than 3,000 shares came out within a range of 39¾ to 40. Crucible Steel was fairly active, but closed ½ lower for the common and ⅜ lower for the preferred. American Sewer Pipe reacted to 32½ and Union Switch and Signal to 88. Pittsburgh Coal was a little more active, the common closing ⅛ higher and the preferred ⅜ lower. Westinghouse Electric declined to 90¾ and Air Brake closed unchanged at 145. National Fire Proofing common closed unchanged at 12½ and the preferred a half-point lower, at 35. Marsden rallied to 5⅝. In the bank list Industrial National sold at 124, an advance of 1 per cent, and Iron City Trust at 138 to 140, closing 2 per cent higher for the day. Pittsburgh Brewing bonds closed ¼ higher at 113¼.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

200	M. L. & H... 39⅜	100	Brewing 29
15	do..... 39⅜	5	P. Oil & Gas. 72
25	do..... 39⅜	25	do..... 72
100	do..... 39⅜	100	do..... 72
50	do..... 39⅜	50	Marsden 5⅝
6	do..... 39⅞	5	do..... 5⅝
45	do..... 39⅜	265	P. V. Trac.. 27½
20	do..... 39⅜	20	Crucible pfd.. 64¼
100	do..... 39⅝	50	do..... 64¼
50	do..... 39⅝	100	do..... 64¼
50	do..... 40	20	do..... 64¼
50	do..... 40	10	do..... 64¼
100	do..... 40	10	do..... 64½
50	do..... 39⅝	50	Brewing pfd.. 47½
100	do..... 39⅝	50	do..... 47½
25	do..... 40	300	Tonopah Ext. 4.75
50	do..... 40	40	Ohio Fuel..... 41¾
120	Brewing 29	50	Fire Proofing. 12½
50	do..... 29	50	do..... 12¾

10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

100	Electric 2ds.. 91	100	Crucible 12⅝
26	S. U. Cable...200	10	P. Oil & Gas. 72
200	Marsden 5⅝	20	do..... 72
50	do..... 5⅝	10	do..... 72
100	Brewing 8s.113¼	100	Pgh. Coal..... 23⅛
52	Sewer Pipe.... 32⅜	20	do..... 23¼
50	do..... 32¾	20	do..... 23¼
30	W. Airbrake..145	20	do..... 23¾
20	do..... 145	100	Crucible pfd.. 64⅛
25	do..... 145	40	do..... 64
325	M. L. & H.... 40	10	do..... 64
20	do..... 40	10	do..... 64
22	do..... 40	150	do..... 64
50	do..... 40	200	do..... 63⅝
10	do..... 40	20	do..... 63⅝
100	Tonopah Ext.. 4.75	10	do..... 63⅝
40	do..... 4.75	100	do..... 63⅝
30	Crucible 12⅝	100	do..... 63¾
50	do..... 12⅝	50	Pgh. Coal pfd. 81⅝
50	do..... 12⅝	50	do..... 81¾
50	do..... 12⅝		

11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

50	M. L. & H.... 40	5	Iron City Tr..138
25	do..... 39⅞	35	do..... 138
100	do..... 40	30	do..... 138
50	do..... 40	50	do..... 138
100	do..... 40	50	do..... 138
20	do..... 40	25	Crucible 12⅝
20	do..... 40	20	do..... 12⅝
20	do..... 40	100	do..... 12⅝
15	do..... 40	200	do..... 12⅝
5	do..... 40	10	do..... 12⅝
50	do..... 40	90	do..... 12½
4	do..... 40	25	do..... 12½
50	do..... 40	25	do..... 12¾
50	do..... 40	20	Brewing 29
35	do..... 40	20	do..... 29
200	Sewer Pipe.... 32⅝	15	do..... 29
40	Tonopah Ext. 4.75	100	Crucible pfd.. 63⅝
20	do..... 4.75	10	do..... 63⅞
40	P. Oil & Gas. 72	5	do..... 63⅞
50	do..... 72	5	do..... 63⅞
15	Marsden 5⅝	25	do..... 63⅞
50	do..... 5⅝	100	do..... 63½
50	do..... 5⅝	100	do..... 63¼
25	Fire P. pfd... 35½	15	do..... 63⅜
75	do..... 35¾	10	do..... 63⅜
10	do..... 35	50	do..... 63⅜
15	do..... 35	50	Pgh. Coal pfd. 81½
15	do..... 35½	200	Fire Proofing.. 12⅝
10	do..... 35¾	50	do..... 12⅝
100	Union Switch.. 88½	25	do..... 12⅝
10	do..... 88	200	do..... 12⅝
100	U. S. Steel.... 30¾	20	do..... 12¾

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

10	Crucible pfd.. 63½	100	Brewing 29
20	Consol. Ice.... 8⅝	10	do..... 29
10	Crucible 12⅝	75	do..... 29
5	do..... 12⅝	100	do..... 29
10	Ohio Fuel..... 41¾	10	do..... 29½
18	do..... 41¾	10	Pgh. Coal pfd. 81¾
10	M. L. & H.... 40	50	Fire Proofing.. 12½
40	do..... 40	50	do..... 12½
50	do..... 40	5	Riv. Coal pfd. 28
5	do..... 40	10	W. Airbrake..145
10	do..... 40	20	Fire P. pfd... 35
10	do..... 40	25	Sewer Pipe.... 32½
15	do..... 40	50	Iron City Tr..138½
50	do..... 40	30	do..... 139
40	do..... 40	20	do..... 140
25	do..... 40	140	do..... 140
50	Tonopah Ext. 4.76	10	do..... 140
200	do..... 4.74	10	do..... 140
15	Brewing 29		

2:00 P. M. to 2:30 P. M.

50	Crucible pfd.. 63¾	100	Crucible 12½
50	do..... 63¾	10	do..... 12½
30	do..... 63⅝	10	do..... 12½
10	do..... 63⅝	25	Electric 2ds.. 90¾
15	M. L. & H.... 40	100	River Coal pfd. 28
500	do..... 40	10	do..... 28
75	do..... 40	20	Indust. N. B..124
100	Crucible 12½		

2:30 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

7	Crucible pfd.. 64	100	Pgh. Coal pfd. 81½
3	do..... 64	20	Fire P. pfd... 35
50	Pgh. Coal pfd. 81¼	20	do..... 35
100	do..... 81¼	50	Brewing 28⅞
25	do..... 81½		

Summary.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Chge.
635	Brewing	29	28⅞	28⅞	—⅛
100	Do preferred	47½	47½	47½	0
20	Cons. Ice.....	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	⅛
1040	Cruc. Steel....	12⅝	12½	12½	—⅛
1435	Do preferred	64½	63¾	64¼	⅜
895	Fire Proof.....	12½	12½	12½	0
210	Do preferred	35¼	35	35	—½
100	Luster Min.....	13½	13½	13½	0
3082	Mfrs. L. & H.	40	39⅝	40	+¼
420	Marsden	5⅜	5⅝	5⅝	0
68	Ohio Fuel	41¾	41¾	41¾	+¼
250	Pgh. Coal.....	23¼	23⅛	23¼	+⅛
490	Do preferred	81¾	81¼	81½	—¼
2990	Pgh. Oil & Gas	72	72	72	0
205	Pleas. V. Tr.	27¼	27¼	27½	—⅜
115	River Coal....	28	28	28	—½
472	Sewer Pipe....	32⅞	32½	32½	—⅜
26	S. U. Cable....	200	200	200	0
950	Tonopah Ext..	4.76	4.74	4.74	—.01
110	U. Switch.....	88½	88	88	—½
100	U. S. Steel....	30⅝	30¼	30¼	0
85	W. Airbrake..	145	145	145	0
125	W. Elec. 2s....	91	90¾	90⅝	—¼
	BANKS, ETC.				
20	Ind. N. B....	124	124	124	+1
310	Iron City Tr..	140	138	140	+2
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	BONDS.				
$4,000	Brewing 6s...	113¼	113¼	113¼	+¼

*Less than 10 shares.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Stock Exchange..	100	.....	10000
PITTSBURGH BANKS.			
Commonwealth Trust.....	100	206	208
Diamond National.....	100	430	.....
Equitable Trust.....	100	175	.....
Federal National.....	100	200	202
First National, Pittsburgh..	100	.....	620
Fidelity Title & Trust.....	100	.....	560
German National Bank.....	100	251	260
Guarantee Title & Trust.....	100	181	.....
Iron City Trust.....	100	139½	140
Keystone National	100	380	.....
Merchants Sav. & Trust.....	50	85	.....
Real Estate Trust.....	100	262	265
Second National, Pittsburgh..	100	750	.....
Safe Deposit & Trust.....	100	.....	435
INSURANCE.			
Allemannia Insurance	50	60	68
Birmingham Insurance Co....	50	63	.....
Ben Franklin	50	73	.....
German Insurance	50	75	.....
Teutonia Insurance	50	85	95
Western Insurance	50	51	.....
MISCELLANEOUS.			
American Sewer Pipe.....	100	31	32½
Citizens Traction	50	.....	70
Consolidated Ice	50	8½	9
Do preferred	50	37½	39
Central District & Printing..	100	150	.....
Crucible Steel	100	12⅜	12⅝
Do preferred	100	64	64¼
Harbison-Walker Company ..	100	64½	65
Do preferred	100	64½	65
Luster Mining	10	13	13⅜
Mfrs. Light & Heat.....	50	39⅞	40
Marsden	100	5½	5⅝
Monongahela Incline Plane..	50	62	.....
Monongahela River Coal.....	50	9½	10
Do preferred	50	.....	33½
National Fire Proofing.....	50	12½	12⅝
Do preferred	50	34½	35
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	41½	.....
Pittsburgh Oil & Gas.....	100	72½	72¾
Pittsburgh Stove & Range..	50	.....	10
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	.....	29¼
Do preferred	50	47½	47½

FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH.

Stock market a little more active, but prices averaged lower.

Over 3,000 shares Light and Heat came out between 39¾ and 40.

Pittsburgh Coal common advanced to 23¼ and the preferred declined to 81¼.

River Coal common rallied to 9½ bid and the preferred declined to 28.

Industrial National advanced to 124 and Iron City Trust to 140.

IN WALL STREET.

Amalgamated Copper declared a quarterly dividend of ½ per cent and ½ extra.

Reading made another new high mark by advancing to 90⅜, but reacted to 88.

Pennsylvania sold off a small fraction on reports of labor troubles.

Tractions were weak under the leadership of Brooklyn Rapid Transit.

Sales foot up 1,047,300 shares stock and $8,065,000 bonds.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Coal	100	22½	23
Do preferred	100	81¼	.....
Pittsburgh Plate Glass.....	100	125	.....
Standard Underground Cable.	100	150	205
Union Switch & Signal.....	50	88⅜	88½
United States Glass.....	100	.....	55
United States Steel	100	30	30⅜
Do preferred	100	94	94¼
Westinghouse Electric.....	50	90¾	91
Westinghouse Airbrake.....	50	145½	145¾
BONDS.			
Harbison-Walker Ref. 5s.....		102	.....
Monon. River Coal 6s.....		111½	.....
Pgh., McK. & Conn. 1st 5s..		101	.....
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s.....		113	.....

PIG IRON.

The following quotations were made on warrants of the American Pig Iron Storage Warrant Company:

	Bid.	Ask.
A	17.65	18.10
D	.....	16.99
A—January delivery	17.85	18.10
A—February delivery	17.90	18.10
B—January delivery	.....	16.85
B—February delivery	.....	16.85

NOTES AND COMMENT.

A net decline of only ¼ per cent apparently measured the degree of apprehension of holders of Pennsylvania railroad stock over the prospects of a strike on the system east of Pittsburgh. The stock has not shared in the advance in the general list and professional traders have been bearish on it, but they have not succeeded in depressing the price to any considerable extent.

The fact that more than 3,000 shares Manufacturers Light and Heat came out on an advance of a small fraction to 40, indicates that the stock is not very strongly held. At the current market it nets the investor 7½ per cent. It probably suffers by comparison with Pittsburgh Oil and Gas, which at 72 nets a little better than 8 per cent. Light and Heat sells but slightly below the parity of Philadelphia Company common, which has a market in the east and is not dependent solely upon oil and gas for its revenue.

The principal dealings in the local bank list yesterday were in Iron City Trust, 210 shares changing hands and the price advancing to 140. Carothers & Co. were the principal sellers, and Preston, Watt & Schoyer, Sprout & Co., Doty & Sutton and Barbour bought.

Hall was the largest buyer of Light and Heat. Masten & Co. sold one lot of 500 shares at 40. Whitney, Stephenson & Co. and Miles were sellers. Miller was also a buyer at the opening.

Commonwealth Trust was strong, advancing to 206 bid, 208 asked. Guarantee Trust was also 1 per cent higher at 181 bid.

At the annual meeting of the Pittsburgh Clearing House association the following officers were re-elected: President, R. S. Smith, president of the Union National bank; vice president, Robert Wardrop, president of the Peoples National bank, and manager, W. W. McCandless. T. H. Given, president of the Farmers Deposit National bank, and A. W. Mellon, president of the Mellon National bank, were elected members of the clearing house committee, the members holding over being A. Long, cashier of the Exchange National bank; W. A. Shaw, president of the Bank of Pittsburgh, N. A.; James H. Willock, president of the Second National bank, and Charles McKnight, president of the National Bank of Western Pennsylvania. The Keystone National bank has applied for membership in the association and a resolution changing the clearing house hour from 9:30 to 10 a. m. was presented, both of which will be considered at a special meeting next Tuesday.

P. J. Pierce, cashier of the First National bank of Wilkinsburg since its organization, has been elected president of the institution. John E. Peterson, who has been assistant cashier for several years, was elected cashier. T. D. Turner was re-elected vice president. The office of second vice president was created and A. W. Duff was elected thereto. Jacob Weinman was elected president of the Wilkinsburg Real Estate and Trust Company, which owns the First National bank; Dr. John H. Rigg was chosen as first vice president and A. W. Duff as second vice president. The First National bank of Wilkinsburg pays quarterly dividends of 5 per cent and its deposits are about $1,400,000.

The Western Insurance Company has declared a semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent.

Gross earnings of Wabash for the second week in January increased $5,949.

Gross earnings of Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh for the second week in January increased $29,205.

Municipal bond sales in 1904, not including temporary loans, aggregated $250,507,450 as against $152,281,050 in 1903. The sales were larger than in any other year. The temporary loans in 1904 amounted to $148,655,394, and general fund bonds sold by New York city, not included in the total, was $9,500,000.

Cambria Steel Company directors have declared a semi-annual dividend of 1½ per cent, payable February 15, as registered January 31.

New York, Chicago & St. Louis directors have declared the regular annual dividends of 5 per cent on the first preferred stock and 2 per cent on the second preferred, payable March 1 to stockholders of record February 1.

The directors of the Pittsburgh Dry Goods Company yesterday declared a dividend of 3½ per cent on the preferred stock and 5 per cent on the common stock, out of the earnings of the past six months, payable February 1.

Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh directors have declared the regular semi-annual dividends of 3 per cent on both the common and preferred stocks, payable February 15 to stockholders of record February 6.

There was a broad and active demand for bonds of practically all grades yesterday on the New York stock exchange, and the course of prices was generally upwards. The total sales, par value, were $8,065,000.

Boston & Montana directors have declared a dividend of $10 a share, as against $5 for the last quarter.

Kuhn, Loeb & Co. have purchased from the Western Union $3,000,000 of its funding and real estate mortgage 4½ per cent gold bonds. These are the balance of an issue of $20,000,000.

The gross earnings of Hocking Valley for the second week in January decreased $3,558. For the same week Louisville & Nashville decreased $3,040.

The Northern Pacific directors yesterday declared a quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent and an extra dividend of ¼ per cent.

The violent advance in Reading, instead of proving an inducement to the buying of stock elsewhere, developed into a positively deterrent factor. The rocket-like rise to that stock to above 90 in the first hour proved a net blanket to speculative enthusiasm, and the upward course which prices had taken at the opening was reversed. When Reading was let back and quieted somewhat prices were pushed upwards at some other points and efforts made to revive the animation of the market. It was diligently sought to convey the impression that the excited rise in Reading was due to its bear springs and the highly prosperous condition of the anthracite trade rather than to any large outstanding short interest or to any danger of a corner in the stock, as began to be feared on Wednesday. Rumor continued very busy with assertions of a short interest in the stock, which was in distress, and there was much conjecture as to its identity.

COMPLETE RECORD OF THE NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings Bank Building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges, and Chicago board of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close. Bid.
3200	A. T. & S. F.	87¾	87¾	87⅜	87⅝
600	Do preferred.	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾
600	Am. Cotton Oil.	35	35¼	35	34
	Do preferred.				96
6300	Am. Sugar Ref.	144	144	143	142¾
	Do preferred.				128
1250	Am. Locomotive.	34½	35	34½	35
200	Do preferred.	105	105	105	105
2700	A. Car Foundry	23⅜	23⅝	23	23¼
400	Do preferred.	92½	92¾	92½	92¾
5650	Amal. Copper.	75¼	76	74⅝	74⅞
100	Anaconda Copper	112	112	112	111¾
8400	A. Smelt. & Ref.	86	86	84⅝	85
1100	Do preferred.	113¾	114	113½	113
200	American Ice....	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾
400	Do preferred.	37	37¼	37	37
20000	Baltimore & Ohio	103⅛	103⅜	102⅞	102⅞
100	Do preferred.	98½	99½	98½	98½
18200	Brooklyn R. T.	63	64	62¾	62¾
	Canada Southern	68	68	68	68
700	Canadian Pacific	134	134	133½	133½
11300	Chi. Gt. W. ser.	23⅝	24	23⅝	23⅞
500	Consolidated Gas.	197	198	196½	197½
2000	C. C. C. & St. L.	91½	92¼	91½	92¼
7300	Chesa. & Ohio..	50	50¾	49¾	50
600	Chicago & Alton.	42	42½	42	41
	Do preferred.				80
7200	Chicago & N. W.	209½	213	208½	211
2700	Col. Fuel & Iron.	47¾	47¾	47	47
700	Corn Products...	20	20	19¾	19¾
	Do preferred.				76
100	Col. Southern..	27½	27½	27½	27½
300	Do 1st pfd....	61¾	61¾	61¾	61¾
	Do 2d pfd.....				50
152500	Erie	41¾	42	40¾	41¾
24500	Do 1st pfd....	78¾	79¾	78	79¼
9400	Do 2d pfd....	62	62	61¾	62
400	General Electric	188¾	188¾	188	187
	Hocking Valley..				80
1100	Do preferred..	91¾	92¼	91¾	90
5300	Illinois Central	156¼	156¾	155½	156
	Iowa Central				29½
	Do preferred.				55¾
300	Internat. Paper.	23¾	23¾	23	23¾
200	Do preferred..	78	78	77¾	77¾
	L. E. & W.....	41¾	41¾	41¾	41
7800	Louis. & Nash..	141¾	141¾	140¾	140¾
1300	Manhattan	168	169¾	168	169¾
6100	Missouri Pacific.	102¾	103¾	102¾	103¾
4300	M., K. & T.....	25¾	26¼	25¾	26¼
2400	Do preferred..	67	67¾	66¾	66¾
7200	Metropolitan ..	117¼	117¾	115¾	115¾
1000	Do securities..	74½	74½	74½	75½
2500	Mexican Central.	23¾	23¾	23	23¼
100	National Lead..	25	25	25	24¾
	Do preferred..				125
	National Biscuit.	35¾	36¾	35½	35¾
	Do preferred..				125
7000	N. Y. Central..	142¾	144¾	142¾	143
	N. J. Central..	196	195	194	194
42200	N. Y., O. & W..	44¾	47¾	44¾	44¾
4900	Norfolk & W....	79¾	79¾	79¾	79¾
	Do preferred..				93
100	North Am. Co..	100	100	100	99¾
2900	Peoples Gas....	107¾	107¾	106¾	106¾
2100	Pacific Mail....	43	46	43	45¾
200	Pullman	246	246	246	244
600	Pr. Steel Car...	37	37	36¾	36¾
100	Do preferred..	83	83	82	83½
21100	Penna. R. R....	136¾	137¼	136¾	137
	Ry. Springs....	34	34	34	34
	Do preferred..	94½	94¾	94½	94¾
2084.00	Reading	87½	90⅜	87½	87⅞
2500	Do 1st pfd....	93	93¾	92¾	93¼
2000	Do 2d pfd....	88	89	87¾	87½
37600	Rock Island	27¾	27¾	27¼	27½
1500	Do preferred..	83¾	83¾	83¼	83¼
600	Republic Iron..	18¾	18¾	18¼	18¾
500	Do preferred..	85½	85½	84¾	84¾
23800	Southern Pacific	67¾	67¾	66¾	67
9500	Southern Ry....	25¾	25¾	25¼	25
100	Do preferred..	89½	89½	89½	89½
11900	St. Paul	173¾	174¼	172¾	173¾
	Do preferred..				181
2300	St. L. & S. W..	29¾	29¾	28	28¾
7000	Do preferred..	60¾	61¾	59¾	61
200	Tenn. C. & Iron.	72	72	72	71½
700	Texas & Pacific.	34¾	34¾	34½	34¾
	T., St. L. & W..				12¾
	Do preferred..				32¾
42300	U. S. Steel.....	30¾	31	30¼	30¾
50000	Do preferred..	94½	94¾	93¾	94
	Do 2s 50% bids.	93¾	93¾	93¼	93¼
8400	Union Pacific....	119¾	119¾	118⅝	119¾
	Do preferred..				93
2200	U. S. Rubber....	25¾	26	25¾	26
400	Do preferred..	100¾	100¾	100	100½
2200	U. S. Leather....	13¾	13¾	13½	13½
800	Do preferred..	102¾	102¾	102	102
	U. S. C. I. Pipe.	24¾	24¾	24	24¾
	Do preferred..	85	85	85	84¾
200	U. S. Realty....				103
200	Wabash	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
100	Do preferred..	42¾	43¼	42¾	42¾
300	W., St. L. & P..	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
	W. & L. E. 2 pf.	26	26	26	26
400	Wis. Central....	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
200	Do preferred..	47¾	48¾	47¾	48¾
2900	W. Elec. 2s.....	91	91¾	90¾	91
	Federal Mining..	63½	63½	63½	65
	Do preferred..	75¾	75¾	75¾	75
1000	Va. Chem. Co....	23¾	23¾	23¾	23
900	Do preferred..	100	100	100	107½
	Am. H. & L. pfd.	50¾	50¾	50¾	50¾

INACTIVE LIST.

12100	Am. S. Fdries.	.....	17	14½	14½
5100	Do preferred..	.....	64½	61¾	64½
200	Am. A. Chem....	.....	21	21	22

NEW YORK CLOSING BONDS.

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	104⅝	Japan 6s, 1st s.	107¾
Do coupon.....	104⅝	L. & N. unif. 4s..	100
U. S. 3s, reg.....	109½	Man. con. gold 4s.	104½
Do coupon.....	109½	Mexican Cent. 4s..	74¾
U. S. new 4s, reg.	134½	Do 1st pref.	94½
Do coupon.....	135½	Minn. & St. L. 4s.	98¾
U. S. old 4s, reg.	113½	M., K. & T. 4s....	93
Do coupon.....	113½	Do 2ds.....	82
Am. Tob. 4s, extd.	94	N. Y. C. & H. R.	127¾
Do 6s, cfts.....	112	N. Y. C. gen. 3½s.	103
Atchison gen. 4s..	103¾	N. Y., C. & St. L.	98
Do adj. 4s.....	89¾	Northern Pac. 4s.	106¾
A. Coast Line 4s..	102	Do 3s.....	75¾
B. & O. 4s.....	104¾	N. & W. con. 4s.	100½
Do 3½s.....	96¾	O. S. L. unif. 4s.	107¾
Cent. of Ga. 5s....	117¾	Reading gen. 4s..	102¾
Do 1st inc....	91⅜	Reading gen. 4s..	102¾
Do 2d inc....	81¾	R. G. W. 1st 4s..	77¾
C. & O. 4½s.....	110¾	R. I. & L. & P. 6s.	119½
C. & O. 5s.....	115¾	R. I. & L. & P. 4s.	85
C. B. & Q. new 4s.	100½	Rutland J. L. 4s..	93
C., R. I. & P. 4s..	85	Southern Pac. 4s..	90½
C., R. I. & P. 5s..	107¾	Southern Ry. 5s....	118¾
*C. C. C. & St. L.	96	Tex. & Pac. 1sts.	120½
Col. Midland 4s..	75	Tex. & Pac. 2ds..	35
Col. & South. 4s..	92	Union Pacific 4s..	104
Cuba 6s, reg.....	105¾	U. P. conv. 4s.....	113½
D. & R. G. 4s.....	101¾	U. P. Denver 4s..	95¾
Del. & Hud. 4s....	126	Wabash 1sts.....	115½
Erie prior lien 4s.	105¾	Do 2ds.....	104
Do gen. lien 4s..	92	Wis. Central 4s..	91¾
*P., W. & K. 1st 6s	102	W. & L. E. 4s....	94¼
Stock. Val. 4½s..	102¾	*Wilson. Cent. 4s.	91¾
Total sales, par value, $8,065,000.			

*Bid.

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BELMAR PLACE HOUSES BOUGHT

Seven Dwellings in Race Street Sold to Local Investors for $42,000.

SOUTH SIDE SALE OF $40,000

Through the office of McKlveen & White seven houses in Belmar place have been sold for $42,000, or $6,000 each, the deal being on a strictly cash basis. Five of the houses were owned by Lee Smith of Uniontown and were purchased by a local investor for $30,000. Two belonged to McClelland Leonard, also of Uniontown, and were sold to a city business man for $12,000. The houses are eight-room bricks of the reception hall type, standing on lots 25x93 feet each. They face on the north side of Race street, near Collier street. The houses were built 18 months ago and all well rented at $25 a month.

The largest deal reported from the South Side for some time is the purchase by G. C. Hoting of the firm of C. Hoting & Sons, feed merchants, of the property at the southeast corner of Bradford and Tenth streets, Twenty-ninth ward, for $40,000. Title to the plot was obtained from the Independent Ice and Coal Company. The lot is 40x160 feet and is improved with a brick building. This will be replaced shortly by a large stable. The deal is interesting in connection with the deal pending for the purchase by the present lessee of the Hottings in McKean street, South Side. They own 80 feet of frontage in this street, extending to the Monongahela river. Two years ago the plot was condemned by the Wabash and that railroad took possession of the part of the lot below the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad tracks. The case has not been settled, although most of the properties needed in that neighborhood have been bought and paid for by the Wabash.

Less Than Half His Claim.

Another instance of the fate that usually befalls property owners who persistently fight the railroads is seen in the settlement by a jury verdict of John Henkle's claim against the Wabash Railroad Company for his property in Ferry street, near Fourth avenue, which was condemned two years ago for a part of the station site. Mr. Henkle asked $164,000 and the jury awarded him $60,000. In addition to this the Wabash will have to pay $8,300 interest which has accrued since April 1, 1903. The Henkle lot was 40x93 feet and was improved with a substantial four-story brick store building. The award was apportioned as follows: Forty thousand dollars for the land, which figures at the rate of $16 a square foot; $15,000 for the building and $5,000 for the improvements and fixtures. The Little lot, in the same square, for which a settlement was recently made, brought $22 a square foot. This price, however, included the building. Besides, the Little property was much more valuable, owing to its being nearer Fifth avenue and having both a Liberty avenue and a Ferry street frontage.

Samuel W. Black & Co. have leased to Edward A. Kern, the Sixth street shoe dealer, the three-story brick building, 20x80 feet, at 435 Wood street for a term of years. Through the same brokers Mr. Kern recently leased the adjoining building at 437 Wood street. The two buildings will be remodeled at considerable expense, so as to make one large store room which Mr. Kern will occupy with his business.

New Concern in Realty Field.

The Carleton Realty Company is the latest addition to local real estate concerns. The company, which has applied for a charter, will have a capital of $10,000 and will transact a general real estate business. The incorporators are: George K. Anderson, Charles E. Bolen and Shirley P. Austin.

Architect J. P. Brennen of the Twentieth ward has been appointed assistant superintendent of the bureau of building inspection, to fill the place lately made vacant by the death of Robert B. Browne.

The old Cooper mansion, one of the landmarks of the once fine residence district of McKeesport, will soon be torn down to make room for the big new tube mill. The residence is very substantial and will be rebuilt on the outskirts of McKeesport. It was occupied by members of the earliest settlers of that city and later passed into the hands of the E. C. Converse family.

The Aronson Realty Company has been appointed exclusive agent for the J. Z. Levy holdings, consisting of the Bradbury cross house at South Sharon, a brick house in Elsinore square, Fourteenth ward, and several residences in Perrysville avenue, Allegheny.

L. A. Clark & Co. have leased for Tillie C. Werder to Harris Brothers, furniture dealers, 1514 Fifth avenue, for three years. They also rented to William Goldman 1404 Fifth avenue for a term of years.

Scattering Real Estate Deals.

Walker place: George T. McDonald sold for the Walker Place Land Company to Samuel McWilliams lots 42 and 43 in the Walker place allotment, fronting in Mansion avenue, Allegheny, for $5,200. The lots are 40x120 feet each and will be improved with two reception-hall brick houses to cost $7,500 each.

Collins avenue: Bertha Hopler sold to Caroline H. Hall an improved lot, 30x120 feet, in Collins avenue, Nineteenth ward, for $9,000.

Wallace street: Angelina Lindsay sold to James Elliott an improved lot, 20x93 feet, in Wallace street, Fourteenth ward, for $2,800.

Everett street: Thurses Sarino sold to Luigi Venorino an improved lot, 22x86.5 feet, in Everett street, Twenty-first ward, for $2,250.

Wrights alley: James Aldrad sold to George J. Gross an improved lot, 24x52 feet, in Wrights alley, Twenty-sixth ward, for $2,050.

The Aronson-Friedman Company has received its charter as a corporation with a capital of $25,000. The officers are Max Friedman, president; Ira Aronson, vice president and general manager, and M. Friedman, secretary and treasurer.

Permits were issued by the bureau of building inspection yesterday to Nicholas Rimlinger for the erection of a frame dwelling in Proctor alley, to cost $1,400, and to James A. Griffith for a frame dwelling in Lillian street, $1,000.

The following building permits were issued in Allegheny yesterday: G. W. Bierer, for a two-story frame dwelling in East street, near Valley street, to cost $2,000; J. I. Robinson, for a two-story frame dwelling in Euclid avenue, near Harrison, to cost $2,400.

Transfers Recorded.

Evans C to Harry L Camp, Jan 2, 7th wd, McKeesport, 35x100, Huey st.....$1,575
Voskamp W H to A E Succop, Jan 4, 11th wd, Pgh, 87x16, Wylie ave; 63x 163, Center ave.....42,000
Smith Sallie R to E Bonifazi, Dec 30, 9th wd, Pgh, 55x80, Fountain st.....30,000
Barr A to J S Scully, Dec 13, 14th wd, Pgh, 50x115, Bellefield ave.....8,500
Ringwalt H L to N A Means, Dec 14, 22d wd, Pgh, 20x125, Tuscarora ave.....2,000
Succop A E to H A Voskamp, Jan 5, 11th wd, Pgh, 87x76, Wylie ave; 63x 163, Center ave.....40,000
Gilmore James to Robt A Free, Nov 26, Wilkins twp, 4 acres.....1,200
Cohen Morris to Sarah Cohen, Dec 16, 11th wd, Pgh, 39x94, Erin st.....5,750
Earley Wm A to Jas McDermott, Oct 1, 28th wd, Pgh, 24x120, Sarah st.....6,100
Nelson G W to David Kerr, Jan 17, 11th wd, McKeesport, 25x135, Stoner ave.....1,000
Vankirk J K to J Vankirk, July 1, Elizabeth, 78x89, Second ave.....2,000
Munk F L to L A Rhine, Nov 16, 20th wd, Pgh, 21x100, Osceola st.....4,200
Carmichael R to S Creighton, Jan 7, 16th wd, Pgh, 28x137, Taylor st.....2,600
Huber E P L to Herbert Pickens, Jan 11, Emsworth, 38x185, Beaver road.....3,200
Coyle E D to C C Kramer, Dec 21, 14th wd, Pgh, 50x150, Terrace ave.....3,000
McGirr F C to Roger O'Mara, Dec 15, 20th wd, Pgh, 40x113, Shady ave.....10,000
O'Hara Roger to C E Bolen, Dec 19, 26th wd, Pgh, 40x113, Shady ave.....10,500
Cargo Atex to Charles Ball, Jan 5, 37th wd, Pgh, 22x120, Cora st.....3,500
Henderson S to Hannah Pratt, Jan 14, 37th wd, Pgh, 52x93, Brushton ave.....7,000
Morrison J B to Thos Silk Sr, Jan 16, Greentree, 66 Noblestown road.....1,000
Seifert Geo A to R J Morrow, Nov 21, McKees Rocks, 52x80, Fair Oaks st, half interest.....750
West End Land Co to Geo A Seifert, Nov 15, McKees Rocks, 76x80, Fair Oaks st.....1,000
Morrow Robt to Geo A Seifert, Nov 21, McKees Rocks, 24x80, Fair Oaks st, half interest.....250
Snee A P to J P J Young, Jan 14, Knoxville, 50x100, Jucunda st.....2,500
Richards O L to Geo Steele, Dec 3, 11th wd, Pgh, 72x78, Stanton st.....7,500
Lewis Jno L to Thos Lechynski, Jan 5, West Liberty, 201x147, Lester st.....2,500
Aldred James to Geo J Gross, Jan 16, 26th wd, Pgh, 24x52, Wrights alley.....2,050
Gallinger J to M J Counahan, Jan 6, 9th wd, Pgh, 33x80, Penn ave.....16,500
Counahan M J to James Cowen, Jan 16, 9th wd, Pgh, 33x80, Penn ave.....17,500
Johnson Frank to M Jacobson, Dec 31, 6th wd, Pgh, 21x125, Bluff st.....4,825
Pitzer H B to A K Martin, Jan 17, 7th wd, McKeesport, 24x94, Commerce st.....3,000
Pgh Brewing Co to Anton Peter, June 11, Braddock, 20x120, Wash ave.....4,000
Hay J Walter to Chas A Weaver, Jan 7, 35th wd, Pgh, 20x90, Edith st.....275
Same to Thos J Chantler, Jan 7, 35th wd, Pgh, 20x90, Edith st.....275

New York Live Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Beeves—Receipts, 322 head. Nothing doing. Feeling weak except for strictly good beeves. Exports today 250 cattle; none tomorrow. Calves, receipts, 80 head. Feeling steady. Veals, $5 00@9 50; little calves, $4 00; barnyard calves nominal; dressed calves, slow; city dressed, 9 to 14c a pound; few extra, 14½c; country dressed, 6@12½c; dressed Barnyard and fed calves, 4@6c. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,949 head. Sheep quiet and steady. Lambs slow and easier, quality considered. Sheep, $4 00@5 50; few choice, $6 00; lambs, $7 25 to $8 00. Hogs—Receipts, 7,659 head. No sales. Nominally steady.

SUGAR MARKET KEEPS UP ITS LIVELY GAIT

Raw Sugar Still Important Factor in Trade and Europe's Demands Are Growing.

Sugar was the dominant factor in the local markets yesterday. From the opening of business there was a brisk demand and reports from the east were of a nature calculated to bull the local trade in refined. European buyers are crowding the American market just now in a hunt for raw sugar supplies. The beet sugar is almost all out of the list. The almost complete failure of that supply last season has practically left it out of consideration for this season, and there is no prospect of relief from the present situation until the next crops are reported upon.

Flour is showing weakness again, and some dealers assert it is higher now than there is any real warrant for putting it. Others claim the millers in the northwest are asking more for flour than the wholesalers in Pittsburgh, and either one side will have to come down or the other go up in order to make even. The coffee market showed renewed activity in the sale of green coffee Wednesday in New York, and there is a more active demand for it this week than for the past month. The market has been holding to a bullish tendency since last fall, owing to a shortness of the crop.

Warm weather is still depressing the egg market. As yet the supply of fresh eggs has not reached the market and the consequence is there has been no bad break. All grades shaded off about a cent yesterday, but dealers in fresh stock are much short of the demand. The storage eggs are still going out at a lively rate and at prices which will let the holders of that stock out away to the good.

Produce was quiet yesterday. The mild morning caused the Liberty street merchants to move their stocks to the sidewalks and the street looked like a day in early spring. Prices did not shift any, however, and the demand was very light.

HAY AND GRAIN.

The receipts of hay and grain yesterday were as follows: Pennsylvania lines, 16 cars hay, 2 cars straw, 1 car feed, 4 cars corn, 1 car oats; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 1 car oats, 1 car hay; Baltimore & Ohio, 6 cars hay, 1 car corn, 1 car oats.

The hay and grain market presented an absolutely unruffled surface yesterday. Demand was light all around and there was no lively bidding during the session. The receipts were light and this had the effect of holding prices steady. Best timothy hay was sold readily, but there was only a meager supply. Rye straw is as short as ever, and the price is ranging high. Oats are firm and the feed market shows weakness. Straw, both wheat, oat and rye, has strengthened considerably and the market is more active than for several weeks.

No. 1 timothy	$13.00@13.25
No. 2 timothy	$12.00@12.50
No. 1 clov.	$12.75@13.00
No. 1 mix.	$12.50@12.75
Loose from wagon	$14.00@16.00
Straw, oat	$8.50@8.75
do wheat	$8.50@8.75
do rye	$12.00@12.50
No. 2 white oats	36½@36¾c
No. 2 oats	36@36½c
No. 3 oats	34½@35c
White middlings, No. 1, ton	$22.00@22.50
No. 2 middlings	$21.00@21.50
do brown	$19.50@20.00
Bran, ton	$20.00@20.75
Wheat, No. 2 red, at mill	$1.08@1.09
New yellow shelled	51@51½c
New high mixed	49½@50c
New yellow ear	54½@54¾c
No. 2 rye, western	89@90c

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.

Prints	32½@33c
Tubs	32@32½c
Ohio cream	29½@30c
Dairy	24@25c
Cheese, N. Y. full crm. new	15@15½c
do Ohio crm.	12½@13c
do ½ cream, new	11@11½c
do Wis. Swiss, tubs	15@15½c
do block	14@14½c
do 5-lb bags	6.40c
do pow'd XXX	6.40c
do cut loaf	6.50c
do cubes	6.30c
do conf. A	6.10c
do No. 1 yellow	5.90c
do No. 2 yellow	5.80c

Beans.

Navy, choice H. P.	$1.80@1.85
Red kidney	$2.00@2.10
Cal. lima, lb	5½@5½c
Peas, dried, bu	$1.10@1.15
do split, lb	3¾c
do marrowfat, bu	$2.00@2.10
Oil carbon, 110 deg	11c
do headlight	11½c
do water white	12c
do Ohio W. W. 150 deg	12c
do Maine	15½c
Miners' oil, special brands	26@43c
Rice, ex-fancy head, lb	6@6¼c
do fancy Japan	5¼@4¼c
do choice Carolina	4½@5¼c
Salt, No. 1 bbl	$1.10
do No. 2 extra	$1.20
do gran. rock	85c
do pocket	$1.65@1.85
do dairy	$1.50
Lentils, fancy	5@6c
Sauerkraut, 40-gal. cask	$5.50
do 10-gal. keg	$2.60

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie	$1.10
do pie, gal	$2.30@3.00
do California, L. C.	$1.65@2.25
do California, Y. L.	$1.90@2.00
Corn, fancy	$1.10@1.20
do standard	90c@$1.20
Cherries, Cal., white	$2.50@2.75
Lima beans	$1.35@1.45
do soaked	75@80c
String beans, 2-lb	70c
do 1-lb	55c
Beans, baked	$1.25@1.75
Peas, marrowfat	$8@90c
do early June	92@95c
do soaked	55@65c
Apples, N. Y., gal. cans	$2.15@2.25
Pineapples, sli	$1.25@2.35
Plums, California	$1.55@1.60
Raspberries	85@90c
Gooseberries	85@90c
Tomatoes, fancy	$1.15@1.35
do standard	75@80c
do gal	$2.25@2.35
Succotash, 1-lb cans	$1.25@1.40
Baked beans, cans, tomato sc	75@85c
Salmon, red	90c@$2.00
do red, 1-lb flats	$1.00@1.30
1-lb flats	$1.65@2.00
do pink, 1-lb talls	$1.81@2.10
Chipped beef	$2.25@2.75
Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans	$2.40@2.45
do 1-lb cans	$1.30@1.35
Mackerel, broiled	$1.60@2.00
Sardines, domestic, ¼s	$3.15@3.30
do mustard	$2.00
do French	$9.50@15.00

FRUITS.

Lemons, Messinas	$3.00@3.25
Oranges, Florida	$2.50@2.75
Navels	$2.50@3.00
Cocoanuts, bags	$3.50@4.00
do doz	65@75c
Figs, cartons	75@80c
do layers	8@12c
do new stuffed, doz	$2.25
Dates, stuffed	18c
Bananas 1st	$1.50@2.00
do 2nds	$1.00@1.50
Pineapples, smooth	$3.00@3.50
Cayenes	$3.00@3.50
do red Span.	75c
Pears	$2.75@3.00
Tangerines, Fla., box	$2.50@3.00
do ½ box	$1.25@1.50
Mandarines, box	$2.50@2.75
Satsuma, box	$2.50@2.75
Malaga grapes	$5.00@6.00
Grape fruit	$4.00@4.50
Apples, fancy, Rings, bbl	$3.25@3.50
do Baldwin	$2.25@2.50
do Pallsades (Col.) box	$2.25
do other varieties	$2.25@2.50
Choice	$1.50@2.25
Limes, per 100	75c@$1.00
Pears, Keifers, Ohio and N. Y., bbl	$2.00@2.50
do Cal. box	$3.00
Kumquats, qt	15@20c

SOUTHERN GREEN STUFF.

Tomatoes, Fla., crate	$4.50@5.00
Shallots, doz	40@50c
Carrots, doz	40@45c
Endive, bbl	$3.00@4.00
Fla. lettuce, ½-bbl hampers	$1.50@1.75
do fancy	$1.50@1.75
do choice	$1.00@1.25
Head lettuce, bbl	$4.50@5.00
Leeks, doz	60@70c
Green beans, Fla., crates	$4.00@5.00
Escarolle, bbl	$2.50@4.00
Spinach, doz	40@60c
Radishes, long red, doz	25@35c
do button, doz	5@30c
Southern cucumbers, doz	25@35c
Strawberries, Fla., qts	40@50c
Green peppers, crates	$3.00@3.50
Rhubarb, doz	5@7c
do fancy	75@80c

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl	$26.00
do half bbl	$11.50
do quar. bbl	$6.00
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl	$20.00
do half bbls	$10.50
do quar. bbls	$6.25
do 20-lb pails	$2.40
do 10-lb pails	$1.75
Mackerel, No. 2 large, bbl	$16.50
do half bbls	$9.50
do quar. bbls	$4.35
do 20-lb pails	$1.90
do 10-lb pails	$1.00
do No. 2 fish, 50-lb tubs	$5.00
Lake herring, 100 lbs	$3.40
do 50-lb	$1.85
do 10-lb	50c

HIDES.

No. 1 green steer, heavy	9c
do light, under 60 lbs, and cows, all weights	8c
No. 1 green bulls	8c
Green salt or cured, No. 1 steers, over 60 lbs	11c
do No. 2	9c
Cows and lig't hides	10c
Calfskin, No. 1	12c

PROVISIONS.

Hams.

18 lbs and up	9¼c
Over 14 to 18 lbs	9¼c
Over 10 to 14 lbs	9¼c
10 lbs and under	10c
Skinned hams	9¾c
Boneless bolled	15c
California	7¼c
Shoulders, N. Y., cut	8½c
do skinned	9c
Ribs, 10 to 15 lbs	10½c
do 10 to 12 lbs	9¾c
do back strips	9¼c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs	11c
do 10 to 12 lbs	10½c

Bellies.

Clear, 6 to 8 lbs	9¼c
do 8 to 10 lbs	9¼c
do 10 to 12 lbs	9¼c
do 12 to 14 lbs	9¼c
do 14 to 16 lbs	9¼c
do 16 to 20 lbs	8½c
do under 16 lbs	8½c
Lard, pure, tierces	7@7¼c

DRIED FRUITS.

Apricots, evap., bags	10@12c
do 25-lb boxes	16½@17½c
Apples, bulk	4¾@5c
do 1-lb cartons	6½@6¾c
Peaches	10½@12½c
Raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkg	6¼@7½c
Raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4 crown	5@5½c
50-lb boxes	6@6½c
do Ondaria	5¼@5½c
Val	7¼@7½c
do Cal. Val	7@7½c
Currants, cleaned, 25 and 50-lb boxes	6¾@7c
Prunes	3@6c

NUTS.

Filberts	11@12c
Eng. walnuts	12@15c
do dom	90c@$1.00
S. S. almonds	16½c
Tarr. almonds	15c
Pecans	10@11c
Brazil	9@10c
Italian chestn'ts	9@10c
do domestic, choice, lb	5@6c

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu	$8.00@8.10
do mammoth	$8.10@8.20
do crimson	$4.50@4.75
do white	$8.00
do Dutch	$9.75@11.50
Alsike	$8.50@9.25
Alfalfa	$8.50@9.00
Millet, Western	$1.25@1.50
do Siberian	$1.75@1.80
Grass, Hungarian	90c@$1.00
do lawn, lb	10@15c
do blues, 14-lb bu	$1.25@1.50
do red top	10@12c
14-lb bu	$1.10@1.60
Timothy	$1.40@1.50

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live chickens	12@13c
do roosters	9@9c
do turkeys	15@17c
do geese	11@12c
do ducks	13@14c
do pigeons, pr	25@30c
Dressed hens	14@15c
do roosters	10@11c
do turkeys	22@23c
do spring chickens	15@16c
do Long Island ducklings	20c
do ducks	16@17c
do capon, lb	26@27c
Squash, dozen	$4.00
do No. 2	$3.75
Dairy soft ripe, per roll	$1.50
do red head	$1.75@5.00
do canvas-back	$2.75@5.00
Input, golden plover, doz	$5.50
do jack, pheasants	$4.50
English pheasants, per pair	$3.25
Reed birds, doz	$1.25
Snappers, per lb	9@10c
Suckling pigs, lb	10@12c
Pigeons, doz	90c@$1.00

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, bu, store	55@60c
Jersey sweets, kiln dried bbl	$3.75@4.00
do hamp'r	$1.40@1.50
do crates	$1.25@1.35
Onions, yellow Danvers, bbl	$2.40@2.50
do bu	$1.00@1.10
Spanish, per crate	$1.75@1.85
do Havana, crates	$2.50@2.75
Carrots, bbl	$1.50@1.75
do hamp'r	90c@$1.00
Parsnips, bu	$1.50@1.75
Cabbage, domestic, bbl	75c@$1.00
do ton	$11.00@12.00
do Savoy, bbl	$1.75@2.00
do German seed, ton	$14.00@16.00
do bbl	$1.00@1.25
Celery	25@50c
Ohio celery	25@50c
do Cal	85@90c
do Golden Heart, crate	$4.25@4.50
Brussels sprouts, quart	12½@15c
Spinach, bu hamp'rs	60@75c
Honey, new	15@16c
Extra fancy	17c
do Miller's, 12 sec	13½c
Beets, bbl	$1.50@1.75
Popcorn, lb	4@5c
Eggplant, Florida, crates	$3.00@3.50
Squash, marrow, fats, bbl	$1.75@2.00
do Hubbard, bbl	$1.75@2.00
Rutabagas	$1.10@1.25
Mushrooms, per lb	35@40c
Cauliflower, Cal., crates	$2.25@2.50
baskets	60@70c
Garlic, lb	7@8c
Cranberries, per bbl	$1.75@2.25
Horseradish, lb	5@10c
bbl	$5.00@8.00
Turnips, bu	50@60c
do bbl	$2.00@2.25
Watercress, doz	45@50c
Lettuce, baskets	25@40c

WHEAT MARKET FALLS TWO CENTS A BUSHEL

Heavy Liquidation Followed Prediction of Greatly Increased Argentine Shipments.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—Heavy liquidation following a prediction of greatly increased shipments from Argentina caused a fall of 2c a bushel today in the price of wheat. A fraction of the loss was recovered. May wheat at the close being off 1⅞@1¾c. Corn is down ⅝@⅞c. Oats show a loss of 1⅛@⅜c and provisions are practically unchanged.

The wheat market opened fairly steady, with May unchanged to ⅛@⅜c lower at $1 16 to $1 16¼@1 16⅜. Trading, however, lacked animation. While pit traders generally were bearish, a feeling of uncertainty held them in check and prevented any great amount of selling. The fact that the big holders were doing nothing in the way of marketing their wheat had a tendency to restrict offerings. News in general was favorable to the bears. Receipts in the northwest were considerably in excess of the total for the corresponding day last week. Cash markets also were very dull, both St. Louis and Minneapolis reporting a steady but extremely poor demand for cash wheat. Primary receipts showed a complete reversal of form, today's arrivals being 567,000 bushels, compared with only 371,000 bushels a year ago. During the first part of the session fluctuations in prices were limited to a very narrow range. The highest point on May was reached at $1 16¾. Late in the day a sharp break occurred and May sold off to $1 14⅞. The decline was due primarily to an announcement by a British statistician that this week's shipments from Argentina would approximate 800,000 bushels, as against 216,000 bushels last week. Another bearish item was presented by heavy selling. A secondary reason for the unloading here was the reported action of a holder of the bull crowd at Minneapolis in throwing overboard immense lines of long wheat. Many stop loss orders here were reached on the decline, and tended to increase the weakness. Part of the loss was regained on covering by shorts, but the market closed weak, with May at $1 14⅝. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 47,500 bushels. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 406 cars, against 314 cars last week and 367 cars a year ago.

Influenced by higher cables and light receipts the corn market was quite firm early in the day. Later, however, the market weakened on heavy selling by a prominent holder. The break in wheat also had a depressing effect. May opened unchanged to ⅛c higher at 45c to 45⅛c, sold off to 44⅝@44⅞c, and closed at 44⅞@44¾c. Local receipts were 244 cars, with 49 of contract grade.

Continued light receipts imparted a firm tone to the oats market at the start, but later prices sagged off a trifle in sympathy with the weakness of wheat. May opened unchanged to a shade higher at 31¾c to 31⅞@31¾c, sold off to 30¾c and closed at 30⅞@31c. Local receipts were 72 cars.

Chief in very limited volume of business was transacted in provisions. Offerings were not large and the demand was correspondingly light. At the close May pork was off 2½@5c at $12 02½. Lard and ribs were each unchanged at $6 85 and $6 07½@6 10, respectively.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 21 cars; corn, 217 cars; oats, 56 cars; hogs, 31,000 head.

The leading futures as reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., Farmers Bank building, Pittsburg, members Chicago board of trade, ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT					
No. 2					
May	1 16¾	1 16⅞	1 14⅜	1 14⅝	1 16⅝
July	98⅛	98⅜	96⅝	96⅝	98⅜
CORN					
No. 2					
Jan.					42¾
May	45⅜	45⅜	44⅞	44⅞	45
July	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	45⅜
OATS					
No. 2					
Jan.	30¾	30¾	30¾	30¾	30¾
May	31⅜	31⅜	30¾	31	31⅜
July	31⅜	31⅜	31	31	31⅜
MESS PORK					
Jan.			12 37½	12 42½	
May	12 02½	12 05	11 92½	12 02½	12 07½
LARD					
Jan.					6 82½
May	6 82½	6 85	6 82½	6 85	6 82½
July	6 85	6 87½	6 85	6 85	6 85
SHORT RIBS					
Jan.				6 42½	6 42½
May	6 47½	6 70	6 47½	6 70	6 70
July	6 92½	6 92½	6 80	6 85	6 92½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour was easy; No. 2 spring wheat, $1 12@1 15; No. 3, $1 02@1 14; No. 2 red, $1 16½@1 17½; No. 2 corn, 43¾c; No. 2 yellow, 44c; No. 2 oats, 30¾c; No. 2 white, 32c; No. 3 white, 31@31½c; No. 2 rye, 78c; good feeding barley, 32@33c; fair to choice malting, 42@46c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1 15@1 16; No. 1 northwestern, $1 13@1 17; No. 2 northern, $1 10@1 14½; May, $1 14¾ bid. Rye, No. 1, 83½c. Barley, No. 2, 35c; sample, 30@31c. Clover seed, $6 25@6 50; short clear sides (boxed), $6 90@6 95; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 23; clover, contract grade, $12 65.

Articles. Receipts. Shipments.

Flour, bbls	22,100	23,000
Wheat, bu	48,000	66,000
Corn, bu	273,900	120,000
Oats, bu	66,000	187,200
Rye, bu	1,000	2,000
Barley, bu	61,800	19,400

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Flour—Receipts, 11,407 barrels; exports, 3,206 barrels; quiet, with prices lower to sell. Rye flour steady. Buckwheat flour dull. Cornmeal steady. Rye nominal. Barley quiet. Wheat—Receipts, 22,600 bushels; exports, 26,061 bushels; spot weak; No. 2 red nominal elevator; No. 2 red, $1 18½ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern, $1 21½ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, $1 11½ f. o. b. afloat. Opened easier on account of commission house selling and apart from a brief rally on western bull support was weak all day. Declining rapidly after holiday under prospects for liberal Argentine shipments, stop-loss selling on hours that the Board of Trade was closed. The close showed 1½c to 1¾c net lower, May, $1 14⅝@1 15 15-16; closed $1 14⅝; July, $1 02@1 02⅝; closed $1 02⅝. Corn—Receipts, 117,375 bushels; exports, 54,835 bushels; spot steady; No. 2, 52½c elevator and 51¾c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 52c; No. 2 white, 51½c. Options steady; weak early on cables and closed firm on wheat break and in elevator selling in Chicago, closing ⅛c net lower; May, 50¾@50 7-16c; closed 50¾c. Oats—Receipts, 21,600 bushels; exports, 2,000 bushels; spot irregular; mixed, 26 to 32 lbs., 37½@38c; natural white, 30 to 32 lbs., 37½@38c; clipped white, 36 to 40 lbs., 39½@42c.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 19.—Wheat, No. 2 red cash elevator, $1 14⅜; May, $1 14¾@1 14⅝; July, 94½c; No. 2 hard, $1 10@1 12. Corn, No. 2 cash, 39½c; May, 42½c; July, 43¾c. Oats, No. 2 cash, 31c; May, 31½c; No. 2 white, 32½c. MILWAUKEE, Jan. 19.—Wheat, No. 1 northern, $1 10@1 17; No. 2 northern, $1 10@1 14½; May, $1 14⅜ bid. Rye, No. 1, 81½c. Barley, No. 2, 50c; sample, 36@51c. Corn, No. 3, 42½@43c; May, 44½c.

TOLEDO, Jan. 19.—Clover seed cash and January, $7 60; February, $7 60; March, $7 72½; April, $7 85; prime alsike, $7 30; timothy, $1 32½.

DULUTH, Jan. 19.—No. 1 northern, $1 11¾; No. 2 northern, $1 04¾; May, $1 13¾; July, $1 11¾; September, 92½c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS.

Thursday, January 19, 1905.

Cattle—Receipts light and market steady. Choice, $5 10@5 25; prime, $4 90@5 00; good, 1,200 to 1,300 pounds, $4 75@4 85; good, 1,100 to 1,150 pounds, $4 40@4 75; common, 700 to 900 pounds, $2 50@3 50; heifers, $3 00@4 00; fat cows, $2 50@3 00; bulls, $2 50@3 00; common to fair, $2 00@2 50.

Hogs—Receipts, 140 double decks; common to fair, $2 00@3 00.

Sheep and Lambs—Supply light; market steady on sheep and weak on lambs. Prime wethers, 95 to 100 pounds, $3 75@3 90; good mixed, 85 to 90 pounds, $3 40@3 70; fair mixed, 75 to 80 pounds, $3 00@3 25; culls and common, $2 00@2 50; best lambs, 85 pounds, $5 00@5 25; veal calves, $5 00@5 25; heavy and thin, $4 00@5 00.

Hogs—Receipts, 30 double decks and market very slow with prices from $ to 10 cents lower. Prime heavy, $4 80@4 85; mediums, $4 80; best Yorkers, $4 80@4 85; light Yorkers, $4 60@4 70; pigs, $4 60@4 65; roughs, $4 00@4 25; stags, $3 00@3 50.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 7,500 head, including 200 head southerns; market steady to 10c lower. Choice export and dressed beef steers, $4 75@5 25; fair to good, $4 00@4 75; western steers, $3 50@4 25; stockers and feeders, $2 00@4 25; southern steers, $3 00@4 15; southern cows, $1 75@3 25; native cows, $1 75@4 15; native heifers, $2 00@4 50; bulls, $2 50@4 00; calves, $3 00@5 50. Hogs—Receipts, 14,000 head; market steady to 5c lower. Bulk of sales, $4 90@5 00; heavy, $4 75@4 85; mixed, $4 90@4 95; light, $4 90@5 00; pigs, $4 00@4 75. Sheep—Receipts, 3,000 head; market steady and active. Muttons, $3 00@3 50; native wethers, $3 25@3 75; native lambs, $4 00@5 00; spring lambs, $5 00@7 50; native yearlings, $4 50@5 00; western yearlings, $4 50@5 00; western wethers, $3 75@4 25; stockers and feeders, $3 00@4 00.

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 18,000 head. Market steady to 10c lower. Good to prime steers, $5 70@6 25; poor to medium, $4 00@5 60; stockers and feeders, $2 50@4 25; cows and heifers, $2 00@4 75; canners, $1 25@2 40; bulls, $2 00@4 25; calves, $3 00@6 25. Hogs—Receipts, 36,000 head. Market steady to 5c lower. Mixed and butchers, $4 60@4 85; good to choice heavy, $4 80@4 90; rough heavy, $4 60@4 75; light, $4 55@4 80; bulk of sales, $4 60@4 85. Sheep—Receipts, 17,000 head. Sheep steady, lambs, 10c lower. Good to choice wethers, $5 00@5 50; fair to choice mixed, $4 00@4 90; native lambs, $5 25@7 85.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 19.—Hogs active, 10c higher. Cattle steady; quiet for good shippers. Sheep slow, lower. Lambs steady, 10c lower.

LITTLE HOPE OF A REVIVAL AT PRESENT PRICE OF OIL

Developments in the lower southwest fields continue almost featureless and show a falling off in completions. The revival that was anticipated when there was an abundant supply of water has not materialized, nor is it likely to so long as the market remains at the present figure and no prolific producing territory in sight. Large producing wells are now the exception, and when one is drilled in it attracts but little attention for the reason that it is located inside of defined limits and not more than a location removed from a light well or a du

THOSE ASKING ARE ANSWERED

Legitimate Questions Put by the Proverb Solvers Are Receiving Attention.

WHAT IS MEANT BY GUESSING

While the announcement that all legitimate questions bearing on The Gazette proverb contest would be answered in these columns from time to time has brought many queries, many have put questions plainly and clearly explained in the conditions of the contest and for this reason the request is again made that the conditions be read carefully. Solvers should especially note the new conditions which extend the time limit for sending in returns from six days to two weeks after last illustration appears, and the second new condition, that "reasonable neatness" will be taken into consideration in making the final awards.

Papers containing previously published illustrations in this contest are on file at the counting rooms of The Gazette, and can be secured by application upon payment of the regular cost of the paper. As the quantity of back numbers is limited it would be well for all desiring duplicates to secure them at the earliest possible moment.

"Mrs. F. R." of Callensburg, Pa., states that she is under the impression that but one solution can be returned to proverb problems in the special tests. This impression is wrong.

"Mrs. W. A. B." of Oil City complains that her solution to Mrs. Mason's special proverb problem was correct inasmuch as her answer was quoted from Shakespeare's Comedy of Errors, Act IV., Scene III. This differed slightly from the quotation as given by the authority quoted by Mrs. Mason.

This is the same old story of two or more proverbs or authorities applying to one illustration. The purpose of the illustrator is to depict minutely the proverb of a selected authority. Shakespeare is the authority of his own works, and other recognized authors enjoy the same distinction. That two authors may use a similar proverb with different interpretation is a circumstance that can only be met by the privilege accorded to return as many solutions as desired.

"J. M. K." of Pittsburgh writes that he has several solutions for a number of illustrations and asks if he should select the "one in common use." It is the purpose, in this contest, to reproduce proverbs in "common use," but as a solver's views on a proverb in "common use" and those of the selector of the proverbs might differ, it would be well to return as many solutions as solvers have in mind.

"Mrs. L. B. of Fairmont, W. Va.," asks if she can purchase certain previously published illustrations without taking complete sets. Certainly. Send to the manager of the proverb contest, specifying the numbers desired, accompanied by the cost of the papers in which the illustrations appeared. Price 1 cent for daily, 5 cents for Sunday. Read the conditions.

"W. A. D." of Oil City writes that he has gained the impression from the story published last Sunday that he can send in several solutions to one illustration in one set of answers. He should have gained that impression long ago if he read the conditions. Keep your duplicates in their proper numerical order, however.

"M. L. D." of Johnstown, Pa., states that as announcement has been made that "well known English proverbs" would be illustrated, she is in doubt whether or not Burns, Scott or other than English authors be considered. If writings in a foreign tongue have been translated into English and have become household words or quotations in general use by English speaking persons, they should be considered English proverbs. The Bible wasn't written in English, yet many of the sterling words of the Book of Proverbs have found daily expression among English speaking people and hence should now be considered proverbs in English.

"A. L." of Pittsburgh asks to be advised what is considered "guessing." The Standard Dictionary holds that to guess means "to judge, estimate or conclude from slight indications or on merely probable grounds; anticipate or presume without sure knowledge or adequate evidence; hazard a supposition about; conjecture."

To avoid this slip-shod practice, and to afford a pleasing method of education, prizes have been offered in this contest to be distributed according to accuracy. The intention is to invite solvers to appeal to standard authorities and so come into immediate touch with the best there is in English. A first glance at an illustration may offer the suggestion of the solution. However, many proverbs in general use are misused through carelessness. If, however, a solver is in doubt between two authorities, he is not guessing by returning both solutions. If both apply to the illustration equally well, in his eyes, he is taking a precaution in returning both solutions. If he were allowed to return but a single solution to one illustration he would, in a measure, be called upon to "guess" which is correct. A lawyer trying a case often quotes several decisions to bear him out in his argument as established precedents. Either may serve him in his argument before the court, still, "in a multitude of counsellors there is safety."

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Good Roads Convention Opens.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA., Jan. 19.—The national good roads convention opened here today with 200 delegates present, among them, Gen. Nelson A. Miles, who delivered an address.

KILLS TWO WOMEN WITH TOWEL ROLLER

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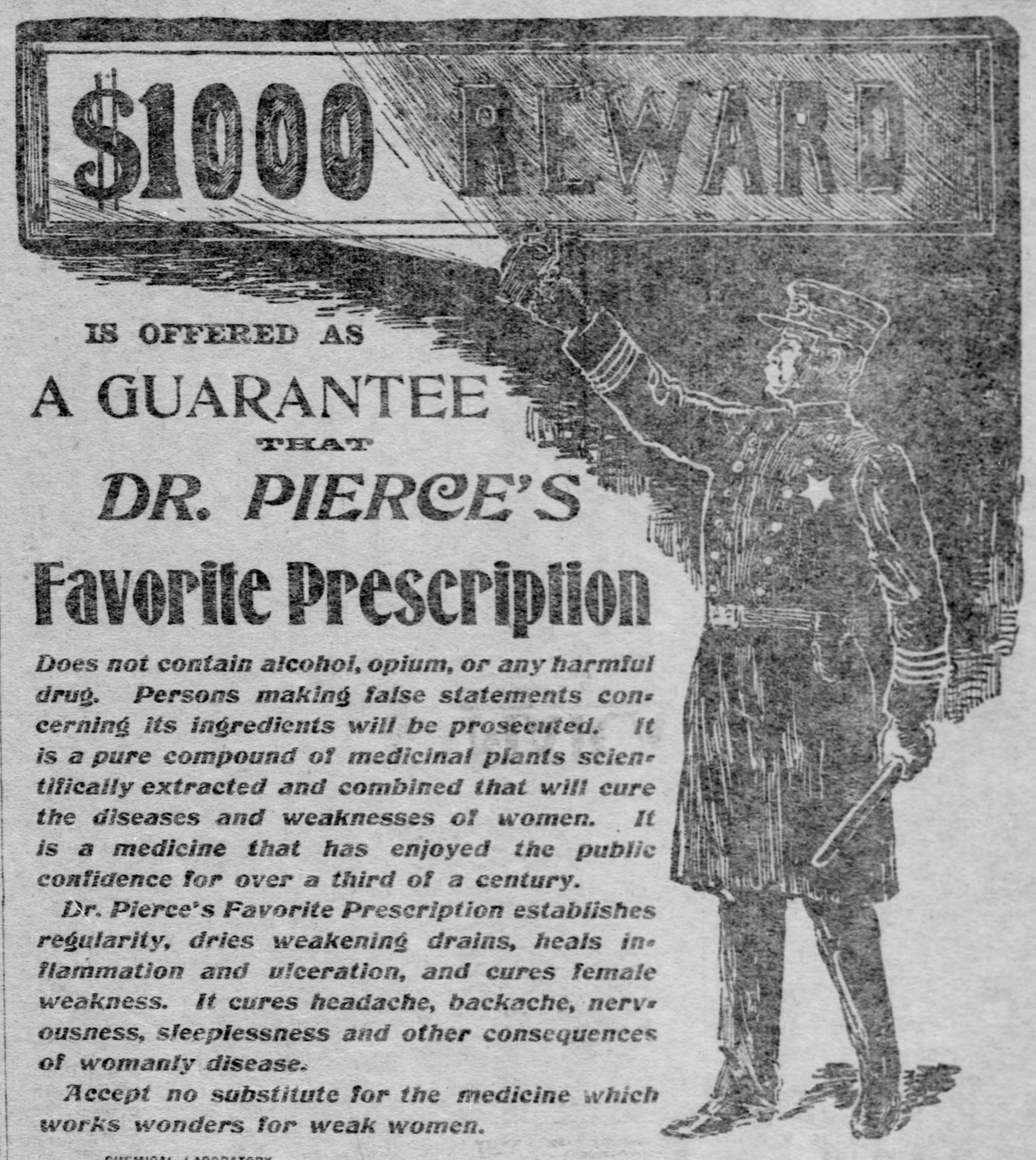

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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 376).

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the submission to a vote of the electors of the city of Allegheny the question of increasing the bonded indebtedness of the city of Allegheny by the amount of one hundred and twenty-five thousand ($125,000.00) dollars for the purpose of re-grading and re-paving streets, changing and constructing sewers and water pipes, and paying damages to private property, made necessary by the contract between the city of Allegheny and the Pennsylvania Company, operating the railway of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago Railway Company, for the abolishing of grade crossings in the city of Allegheny.

Whereas, The select and common councils of the city of Allegheny deem it for the best interests of the city that its bonded indebtedness shall be increased by the amount of one hundred twenty-five thousand ($125,000.00) dollars for the purpose of re-grading and re-paving streets, changing and constructing sewers and water pipes, and paying damages to private property, made necessary by the contract between the city of Allegheny and the Pennsylvania Company, operating the railway of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago Railway Company, for the abolishing of grade crossings in the city of Allegheny; therefore

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the question of increasing the bonded indebtedness of the city of Allegheny by the amount of one hundred twenty-five thousand ($125,000.00) dollars, by an issue of bonds, bearing interest at the rate of four per centum per annum, the principal thereof payable annually in not less than five years and not more than thirty years from the date of their issue, and for the payment of the principal and interest of which as the same shall mature and become payable, so much of the revenue of the city of Allegheny as may be necessary shall be pledged, for the purpose of re-grading and re-paving streets, changing and constructing sewers and water pipes, and paying damages to private property, made necessary by the contract between the city of Allegheny and the Pennsylvania Company, operating the railway of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago Railway Company for the abolishing of grade crossings in the city of Allegheny, at such times, at such places, in such manner and in such amounts as the councils of the city shall determine, shall be submitted to the electors of the city of Allegheny at the municipal election to be held on Tuesday, the twenty-first day of February, 1905, in the manner prescribed by and in accordance with the laws of the state of Pennsylvania in such case made and provided.

Sec. 2. That the mayor is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to procure the proper proclamation for said election to be issued, and public notice thereof given according to law, and to provide at the expense of the city of Allegheny any and all ballots or tickets, return sheets or any other papers, materials or things that may be required by law to be provided by the city for the lawful holding of said election, and to cause the same to be held according to law.

The expenses thereof to be payable out of appropriation No. 41, contingent fund.

Sec. 3. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 19th day of January A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 19th, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 374.)

AN ORDINANCE—Appropriating the sum of one thousand five hundred ($1,500.00) dollars to defray the expenses of the improvement, care and protection of such school grounds of the city of Allegheny as shall be used for park and recreation purposes by the public.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that in pursuance of the power conferred by act of assembly, entitled "An act to provide for the opening, improvement, enlargement, use, care and protection of school and other grounds for public park and recreation purposes in the cities and boroughs of the commonwealth," etc., etc., approved the 26th day of June, A. D. 1895, there is hereby appropriated for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1906, out of appropriation No. 41, contingent fund, the sum of one thousand five hundred ($1,500.00) dollars to defray the expenses of the improvement, care and protection of such school grounds of the city of Allegheny as shall be used for park and recreation purposes by the public during the said year.

Sec. 2. Said moneys shall be expended for the purpose above mentioned only by the director of the department of public works through the joint committee of Women's clubs of the city of Allegheny, which is now appointed for the purpose of making arrangements for the use, improvement, care and protection of said school grounds.

Claims for work or labor done or material furnished under this ordinance, shall first be certified by aforesaid committee or by a majority of its members, and shall be paid on pay rolls certified on oath by the director of the department of public works to the comptroller in the usual manner required for the payment of claims against the city of Allegheny.

Sec. 3. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 19th day of January, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 18, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 375.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the mayor and city treasurer to advertise for proposals for furnishing license plates for the year 1905, and instructing said officers to award the contract or contracts for the same, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that the purchase of license plates for the year 1905 is hereby authorized and ordered, and the mayor and city treasurer are hereby instructed to advertise for proposals for the same and award the contract or contracts therefor, in accordance with the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost thereof to be paid out of appropriation No. 41, continuent fund.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 19th day of January, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 16, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 372.)

AN ORDINANCE—To authorize the proper officers, for and in behalf of the city of Allegheny, to advertise for bids for furnishing the several departments of the city, who have no appropriations, all printing, books, blank forms and stationery for the fiscal year 1905-1906, and providing for the payment of cost thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that the proper officers of the said city be and they are hereby authorized and empowered in the name and on behalf of the city of Allegheny, to advertise for bids for furnishing the several departments of the city, who have no appropriations, all printing, books, blank forms and stationery for the fiscal year 1905-1906, and award the contracts therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost of the same to be paid out of Item No. 1, appropriation No. 2, printing.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 12th day of January, A. D. 1905.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 16, A. D. 1905. The above ordinance examined and approved.
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